ЕЖЕГОДНИК

1946

Dear Patty,
I sure have been a pleasure being in a class with you and having you as a classmate.
Sincerely
Dorothy Hayes

To one of the sweetest girls it has been my pleasure to know.
Best Wishes always
Pat Brewer

Dear Patty,
Lots of luck in your junior year and I hope you are in one of my classes
Good Luck,
Betti

Dear Patty,
Best Wishes to the girl from one of the sweetest.
Graduating Senior
Sue Owen

Dear Pat,
I have enjoyed being in your class and I hope we have more classes together next year.
Love,
Mary Ann

Dear Patty,
I have enjoyed being in your class and I hope we have more classes together next year.
Love,
Mary Ann

Dear Pat
I sure think that you're a swell kid, I like your mother too. Have a good time and take care of Patty!
Love Virginia

Dear Patty. It has been swell knowing you.
Betty Porter
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Dear Patty
I would like to say that I have never known a more sweeter person
Love
Marie
"Queenie"
"Howie"

Dear Patty:
In all sincerity
Lots of luck to a swell person
Frank Fradely io

Dear Patty,
I've always admired
someone who keeps
from talking in
class, but I never
new anyone who
could keep it
up so long.
Luck,
Shirley Colen

Dear Patty,
To a real swell
kid. We'll miss her
Best of luck.
Martha

Dear Patty,
Please be sure
to be sweet—
Ed. or I'll beat
you.
Best Wishes
Eddie Thompson

Dear Pat.

I think your nice and
I think your swell although
I don't know you very well.
Best of luck in your Jr. & Sr. year's
Love Bette Jo.

Dear Pat.

Lots of luck in the coming
two years. Hope to see you next
year.

Lots-o-luck
Stays
Pat Brubs.

Dear Pat,
I wish you
luck in your
junior year.
I wish you
the best of
luck in your
senior year.
Best wishes
Claire Mannen

Dear Pat
Here's hoping
you have
lots of fun in Latin.
Take it easy this summer.
Stage

Hi Patty
It's been fun having you
in class with you.
I hope we can have more
classes with you next year.
Here's wishing you lots of luck
for you next year as a Junior.
Pat Macke
'48

Thanks for being such a
nice Pal. Best of luck this
coming year.
Barbara Graepsons
Student - Adieu
Always remember
Your Latin Class -
Ensuring this not
answers - but not anything -
Paying anything -
Stays Yours are
always Pat Brubs.

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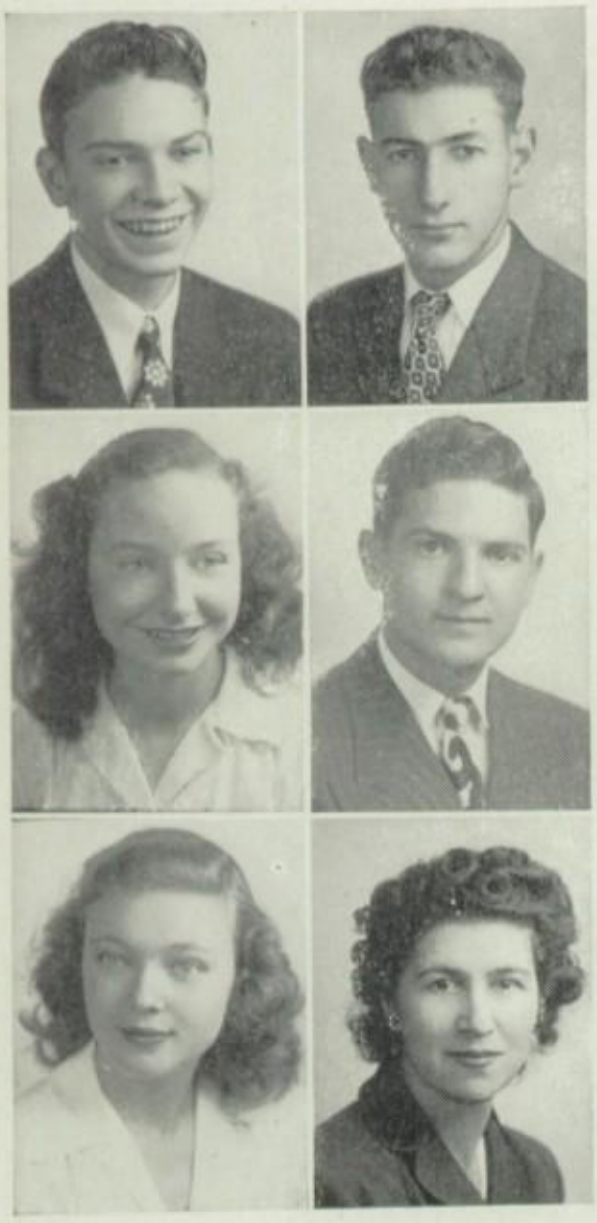
THE SENIOR CLASS



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Advisor

FALL

Coming back to school in September, the class of '46 got their first taste of senior life when they elected officers. With the help of their adviser, Miss Bolton, senior sweaters were picked out and blocks selected from designs by art students. Orders for the traditional red and white sweater went in early in October so that the seniors could display the badge of their rank—the senior sweater —as soon as possible.

The seniors, conforming to the precedent of leaving a class gift to the school, gave noon dances under the sponsorship of the various major clubs to raise the necessary funds.

The seniors held their first official party in November. Under the direction of the Decoration Committee, the Boy Scout Hall was decorated to represent a night club. The entertainment provided by various student groups was almost proffessional, it was so good.

Their fall activity program included good times together as well as organizing for various duties connected with graduation in the spring.

STANDING COMMITTEE

Third Row—Cecelia Forgnone, Doris Law, Margot O'Hartnet, Ola Hayden, Miss Bolton, Advisor. *Second Row*—Dick Rollins, Jean Nunes, Clara Withers, Siro Testa. *First Row*—Dick Duncan, George Castleberry, Dick Caletti, Emil Bettini, Don Crisanti.

SPRING

The spring semester found the seniors and their new Standing Committee ordering cards and announcements. Later, they were measured for caps and gowns, the boys selecting black and the girls, white. The girls decided not to carry flowers.

The Senior Play, "Believe It Or Not," brought out a large audience who, by their hearty laughter, appeared to enjoy the stage antics of Warren Dohemann, Jack Barnes, Shirley Ballard, Henryetta Wadlow, and Cecelia Forgnone.

In February the seven seniors who had been selected by vote as the most likely to succeed in the Pepsi Cola Scholarship examinations took the tests. They included: Donald Potter, Dick Caletti, Marian Kell, Paula Martinelli, Patricia Ruhlman, Charles Grandi, and Jack Barnes.

The seniors posed for their individual pictures for the Searchlight. When the proofs returned, there were many exclamations and laughs over them.

On June 8 the juniors lived up to their promise and gave the Senior Ball.

On June 14 the Senior Class of '46, after the usual rehearsals, and with due ceremony, received the coveted diplomas, the award for four years of high school work and happiness.

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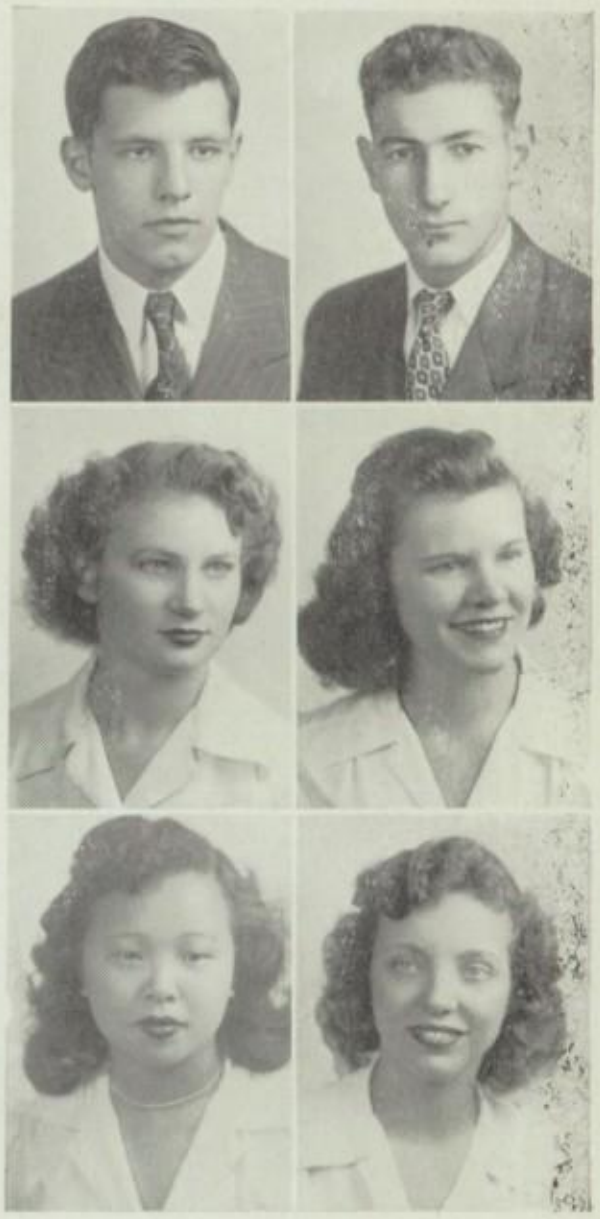

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DON CRISANTI

The heavens have stars, the trout have speckles,
Grable has curves, but Don has freckles.

PATRICIA RUHLMAN

The gal likes art, she does quite well,
You should see her ceramics — are they swell.

ELIZABETH EVANS

Little Mickey and her accordion sweet,
Gives entertainment that's hard to beat.

JOHN ARMBRUSTER

They're four in all, find the other three,
Who hate the women as much as he.

RUTH COPE

If she could only have her way,
On the baseball team she would play.

LAURA CHRISTENSEN

She takes the minutes at all the meetings,
To our Student Body Secretary — greetings.

DORIS PEACOCK

Her untiring efforts she has lent,
To being Ra Ravas' president.

GEORGE NILSEN

You've heard of Washington, of Valley Forge,
Well . . . We give you Nilsen, another George.

WESLEY YOUNG

His motto's been the Golden Rule
And he's lived by it, all through School.

MARIAN KELL

A girl with brains as well as looks,
In San Rafael Hi, that's one for the books.

MARY ANN STACK

Mary Ann, you have great wealth
In a sweet disposition that speaks for itself.

CURTIS ASKIM

He hails from Novato—only one of his kind,
Tall, blonde—and Brother, has he got a line!

WILLIAM WHITE

Give him his choice of a game to play,
And he'd pick basketball any day.

JACQUELINE DELSOL

The fellows at High don't seem to rate,
There must be a reason they can't get a date.

SHEILA MCKINNEY

On our school paper you worked day and night,
You did a bang up job on our own Red 'n' White.

JOHN BARNES

It was Little Audrey, we want you to know,
And not the "Star Athlete" who stole the show.

JUANITA WEHRING

The Sigma Gamma—her club at Hi
She sings its praises to the sky.

SHIRLEY PALMER

Always quiet, with winning ways,
Making the most of her high school days.

DONNA ARMSTRONG

As a School Secretary—our thanks to you.
We wish that we could type like you.

ARTHUR SEARS

"Art" has a feeling for beauty,
We must admit Donna's a cutie.

RICHARD CALETTI

As student body prexy, he runs the show,
He's No. 2 on our list, there are two more to go.

MARILYN MONEY

Auburn-haired Marilyn looked so bereft
When she and the piccolo both got left.

FLORINE FALK

A split six here, a big six there
And "Fitty" jumping everywhere.

WARREN DOHEMANN

Here's an oscar for Warren Dohemann,
A versatile actor, a clever showman.

KAY MATTOS

A lovelier singer never was born,
We admire you "Kay" as our own
Lena Horne.

RICHARD DUNCAN

The tallest boy in our class at school,
Is "Spider" Duncan—Drool, Drool,
Drool.

FRANCO GIUDICI

Senior President — He's chuckling
with glee,
He thinks we don't know that he's
No. 3.

VIRGINIA MILANI

You sing, you act, you flirt with ease,
Tell us your secret, "Bebe," please!

ARRAH HICKS

A cute little trick, with blonde hair
that glows,
Sorry, Boys!—but this girl is Joe's.

LEO FLYNN

For his drumming Leo should rate
His name engraved on a silver plate.

DOROTHY STOMMEL

"Dot's" been faithful, worked hard too,
For the Red 'n' White—our thanks to
you.

PATRICIA FRITZ

Nothing will do but the latest mode,
Shall we vote "Pat" the girl from
"Vogue"?

RON POTTER

"Ronnie" is not a diller, a dollar,
'Cause he certainly is an exceptional
scholar.

PATRICIA BOULES

If sometimes you hear a lot of noise
It's Pat, her car, and the Novato boys.

BARBARA WOLTERS

She comes from Kentfield, far out of
town,
But little "Bobbie" sure gets around.

ROBERT CALHOON

A song was written which fits "Bob"
to a T,
The name of that song?—PERSON-
ALITY.

MEI WONG

Hail to the scholarship so-ci-e-ty,
Presiding this semester was President Mei.

VIRGINIA FRANK

Boots and saddles and she's away,
We vote her the equestrian of the day.

SHIRLEY BALLARD

She's full of fun, has an urge to joke,
A sparkling companion for an afternoon coke.

JOHN MINO

The game begins, his eyes do gleam,
He loves his baseball, or so it would seem.

CHARLES GRANDI

This great star rates our No. four,
Though we know, too well, there are many more.

HENRYETTA WADLOW

Twirling and jumping, agile and spry,
"Hank" led the rooters of San Rafael Hi.

SUE OWEN

You transferred from Tam, and that was fine,
We wish we had known you a longer time.

VIRGINIA MEYSEMBOURG

You worked to get snaps for this year's book,
The proof's before us if we take time to look.

JOYCE WILLIAMS

Your fine pleasant manner, you never could hide,
In fact, Dear Joyce—wear it with pride.

PAUL KEITER

Electronics, mechanics and such,
Interest this fellow "Paul" very much

ROBERT NELSON

It's batter up, and let's play ball,
We're behind this captain—one and all.

RAMONA VINCILIONE

For activities a medal we'll give "Mo"
And our blessing to see how far she'll go.

ROSINA BREG

No pin curls for you, lucky lady,
You're tops, and we don't mean maybe.

THOMAS J. JONES

Tom is one of the school's track men,
For him more than one girl has a yen.

PATRICIA LOWNEY

The Blarney Stone you must have kissed,
Your winning ways we can't resist.

RUTH OAKLEY

Student Body Treasurer, she works with vim,
Counting the money as it rolls in.

EMIL BETTINI

Here's to "Babe" who drives a bus, and
Here's to his smile—it sure "sends" us.

OLA HAYDEN

Commissioner of Assemblies, a Les Cout too,
Getter of sponsors for this book—we thank you.

ROSEMARIE MARENGHI

In height she's just about five feet,
Pert and snappy and extremely neat.

WILLIAM HAWKINS

A brilliant student who does everything well,
All those who know him say that he's "swell."

PATRICIA MCAULIFFE

Pat McAuliffe is a person who will never be
Without her chewing gum—Believe me.

PAULA MARTINELLI

"Sugar 'n Spice," 'n everything nice,
People who see you always look twice

JEAN NUNES

Noted for hair cut very short,
The Girls' League prexy is one good sport.

EDWARD MCDONALD

This red-headed kid is no smart aleck,
He will succeed as an auto mechanic.

MARY ELIZABETH BROUGH

She plays the piano, the saxaphone too,
There's not very much Mary E. can't do.

EVELYN HARPER

Always congenial—that's why we're fond
Of a girl called "Evie," a strawberry blonde.

REVA GOTTLIEB

Making speeches — writing her feature,
Reva is such a busy creature.

BILL DOCKERY

A lightweight—basketball his game,
He plays for the sport and not for the fame.

BARRY DEP

You never hear him kick or gripe,
He thinks our school is just all right.

MYRTLE ROGERS

Myrtle Rogers! One word will suit,
We'll go no further — that word is CUTE!

FAYE COOK

Another School Secretary is Faye,
We keep her busy all through the day.

GERALDINE TAYLOR

On your memory a deep impression,
Of her gorgeous eyes with such expression.

MARILYN SARDI

You tried for blonde, but, you got instead,
A dash in the front of your hair—that's red.

KEITH BULLOCK

Out of his hat came an alligator,
Take your bow, Prestigitator.

SIRO TESTA

The girls try hard to win him over,
But, he's immune—this Cazanova.

FRIEDA KNECHTLI

Full of charm, a tiny mite,
She packs a wallop like dynamite.

DORIS LAW

Always in fashion with clothes galore,
Right out of the band box is "Dode" Law.

ERNEST FRANZINI

When we leave school and say adieu,
Please miss us, Ernie, as we'll miss you.

WON WONG

She's a rare bird—as rare as they come,
An outstanding member of the club is Won.

IRENE RONSHEIMER

When they said, "Neat as a pin,"
They meant "Ronnie" who's always trim.

JAMES KNITTLE

If you hear he's blue—it's just a rumor,
How could he be with his sense of humor.

ELAINE BORKHEIM

Known for her posters and noted too,
For her clever and different stylies of hair-do.

LILLIAN LOWERY

A School Secretary, with book in hand,
Willing to help whenever she can.

CLARA WITHERS

Senior class secretary for the term last fall,
Thanks is due you from us all.

BARBARA BERGER

Her clothes are fashioned to the 'nth degree,
She sews a fine seam, does Barbara B.

WILLIE AVILLA

If the girls had your hair—Oh! what a delight!
It would save them putting it up every night.

TOM LOFGREN

Count the students who average an "A",
Put Tom at the top 'cause he's there to stay.

LILLIAN GALASSI

A real high stepper in front of the band,
Give this little girl a great big hand.

BEVERLY HARRIS

A very fine worker who is never cross
"Bev'll" make a fine secretary for
some lucky boss.

JOHN URBAN JR.

Jack, a grandfather! a lot of rot—
But, he sure was in "Believe it or
Not."

PEARL FERRARIO

Pearl's her name, we like the selec-
tion,
And rhyme it with her lovely com-
plexion.

MIRIAM GELERI

Good looks and perfect poise,
Should make you popular with the
boys.

ALDO PALADINI

"Remember Novato" is Aldo's motto,
If you don't know the place you
surely "oughto"!

BETTY THERON

Quiet and shy, not making a sound,
You'd hardly know she was around.

BETTY JO COLE

Betty! Betty!—demure and shy,
Has everyone's friendship—perhaps
that's why.

BILL VAN DALSEM

Don't get mad or blow your top
'Cause we mentioned the dreamy
eyes you've got.

SHIRLEY KIDDER

A snappy figure, a perfect form,
She makes so many look forlorn.

JANE STEPHENS

Somebody's stolen Jane Stephen's
heart,
May we wish you happiness before
we part.

GLEN LEWIS

Not yet a Tilden, not yet a Vine
But he swings a mean racket—just
give him time.

JEAN STONECIPHER

When she smiles the world seems
brighter,
Making all your cares seem lighter.

Ivy Zethraus

She's tall like a model, walks with grace,
Reminds you a little of lilac and lace.

James G. Davis

Known to the fellows as "Dumbo" Davis,
And from his jokes, may the good Lord save us.

Mary Kortuem

Mary Kortuem, stay just as you are,
And keep on plucking on your sweet guitar.

Carol Rose

If Ziegfield were here, Carol would abide
With the ultra show girls he has glorified.

William Lasseter

After seeing "Bill" there's nothing to say,
But HUBA, HUBA! — and dream away.

Patricia Fritz

Nothing will do but the latest mode,
Shall we vote "Pat" the girl from "Vogue"?

Jean Allen

For being happy, she has a flare,
This "Jeannie" with the light brown hair.

Betty Murphy

Here's to Betty who's quite astute,
Her pet hobby—playing the flute.

Genevieve Soldavini

Always smiling, always glad,
If you stopped smiling, it would be sad.

Bud Rockwell

When you hear our high school band
Look for "Bud", the trumpet man.

Jim Gilmartin

A football captain — we'd have you know,
He never misses a Sinatra show.

Margaret O'Hartnett

She has been trained in office technique,
She'll make a steno — efficient and neat.

CECELIA FORGNONE

Give her a crayon and a drawing pad,
She'll design you a gown—the latest fad.

HERMAN BOTTINI

If in this Searchlight, you will look,
You'll find some pictures that Herman took.

RICHARD ROLLINS

With his tenor sax he gets all set,
He's in the groove — the boy is hep!

DOLORES MARTIGNOLI

Was there ever a time when you had misgivings,
For some of the stuff you put in Dee's Diggins?

PAULINE HOLLISTER

Forever busy and not a shirker,
We give you Pauline—a very hard worker.

JEAN THAYER

If you're searching for giggly Jeannie
Look for "Bev", Don and Willie.

BETTY THOMSON

She's retiring and quiet, a neat little dish,
May she get out of life everything that she'll wish.

JOHN DIAS

Often mistaken for a freshman, no less,
But he's really a senior, and one of the best!

LEO FREITAS

He wears a mustache, and that is why,
He is not quite an ordinary guy.

MARY LOU CASILLAS

To a star say, "Estrellita,"
To Mary Lou say "Senorita."

DON GIORGI

An accomplished player on the clarinet,
He'll catch up with Benny Goodman yet.

AMYMARIE REIFSCHNEIDER

She took dramatics and played her part,
But she's Dick's newlywed at heart.

JIM HUBBARD

Come what may—He's a carefree guy,
You need never worry—'cause he'll get by.

DON REDLEY

An ex-marine—and by the way,
As a tumbler, he's O. K.

LYDIA FIUREN

Lydia's quiet, Lydia's quaint,
She has no use for powder or paint.

DONALD J. RUNGE

Maybe Don can tell the girls,
Why the boys get all the curls.

DON DUNN

Don is the boy who runs the stage,
He's a master at this for a lad of his age.

ROSE SIMAS

Some favor sports, some favor drama,
But "Rosie" favors the Sigma Gamma.

The following Seniors qualified for graduation but did not have their pitcure taken:
CLARENCE HANSEN, VERA JILL BERTIN, JOHN CROZIER.

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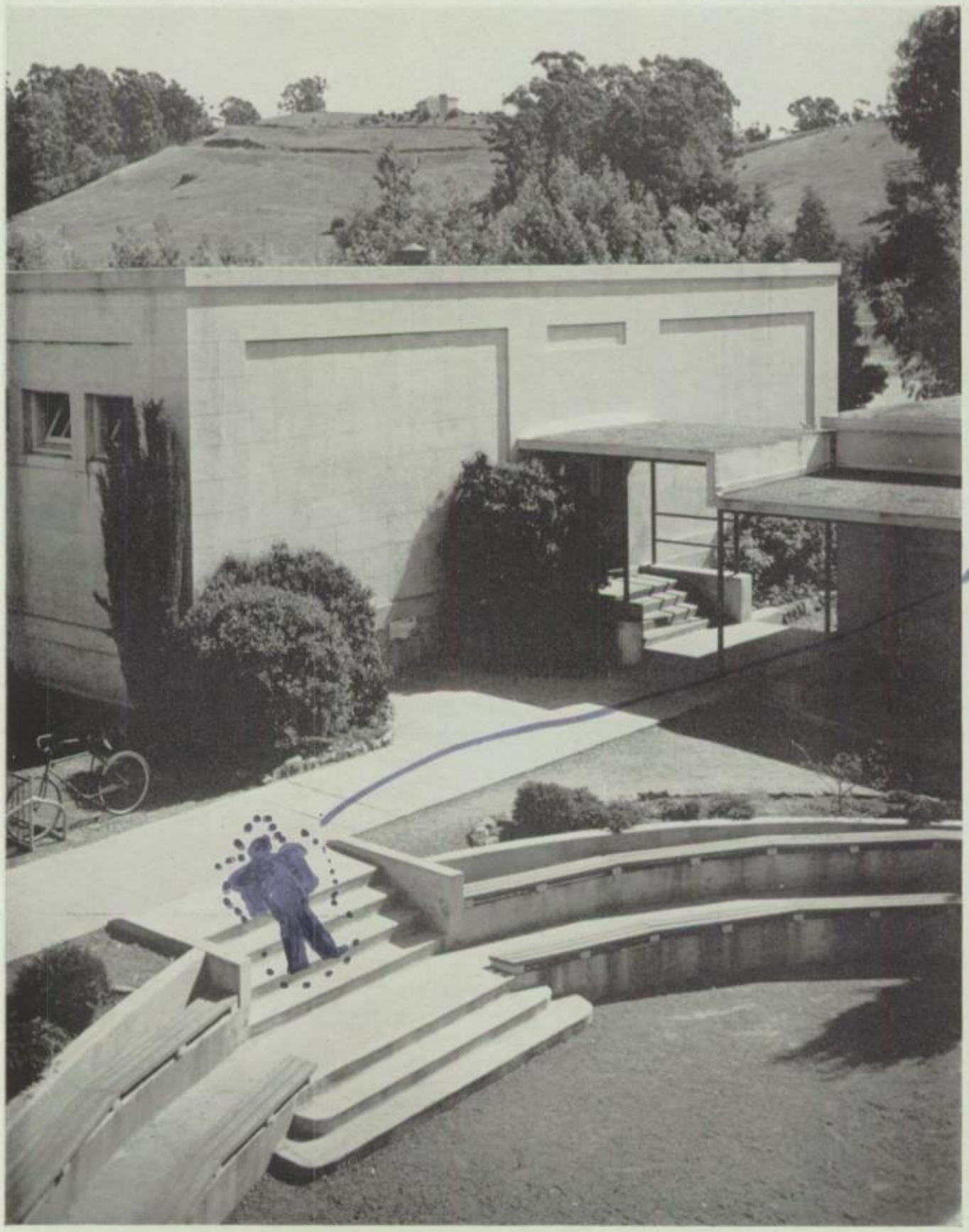
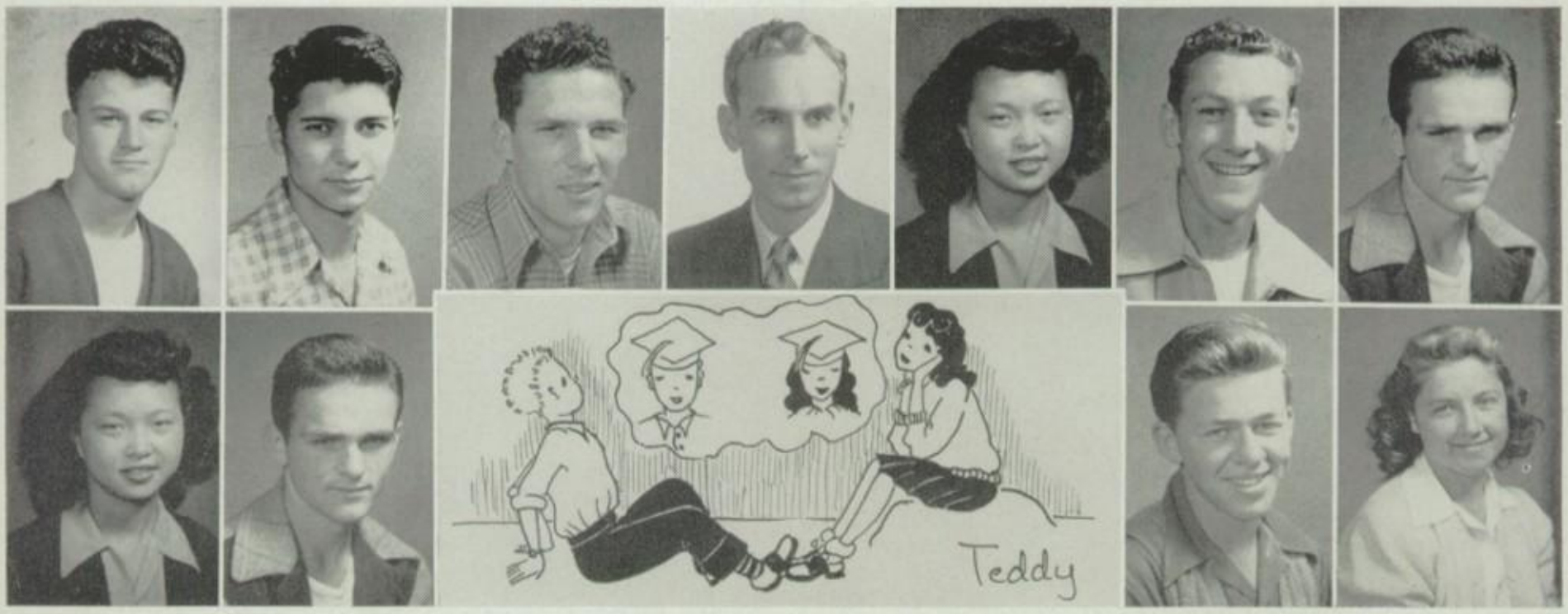


Patty!
Well here we
it is at last
if school and its really
been swell knowing
you and I wish
we could have
a lot more of
them in Mrs. Albanese's class.
Love Sue McNally

UNDERCLASSMEN

JUNIOR CLASS



Top Row—Delbert Hughes, Boys' Vice-President; Tex Richesin, Fall President; Dana Bartlett, Treasurer; Mr. Dresia, Advisor; Tui Wong, Treasurer; Bob Duncan, Spring President; Liston Sabraw, Boys' Vice-President. *Bottom Row*—Tui Wong, Girls' Vice-President; Liston Sabraw, Secretary; Dick Giudici, Secretary; Alice Borzini, Girls' Vice-President.

FALL

The junior class, during the year 1945-46, demonstrated to the student body just how capable they were as leaders in student body activities as compared with the other classes.

For the first time, class officers were elected in the fall of '45. Under their president, Charles Richesin, the juniors started a treasury for themselves through the sale of ice cream and "coke" concessions at the basketball games.

SPRING

Bob Duncan, a recognized leader in school politics, as president of his class for the spring semester, concentrated on organizing the juniors as the "top" class and getting more co-operation from its members.

The class participated in all school affairs, putting on skits for rallies, competing in War Bond sales and sports events and taking second place in the clothes drive.

Mr. Dresia, class advisor, has been working with the class leaders toward the improvement and reorganization of class activities with the backing of approximately 170 juniors.

The juniors will complete their schedule of activities for this year with the sponsoring of the Senior-Junior Prom on June 7.

A preview of the future seniors reveals a high-spirited, friendly class which should show the school some first-rate sports activity next year along with a fine school spirit.
Spring Officers—Pictures above of officers.

JUNIORS

Third Row—Miss Newcomer, Counsellor; Max Blum, Richard Strockbin, Dick Clark, Arnold McDonald, Roger De La Montanya, Benny Hartske, Albert De Rosa, Philip Schiller, Lafayette Wicht, Ed Gearhart. *Second Row*—Rodney James, Cole Blease, Don Baird, Frank Kramer, Margaret Ritter, Peggy McGauflin, Helen Hill, Suzanne Smith, Becky McCormack, Dolly Pedersen, Gary Cannaday. *First Row*—Joyce Coen, Ruth Sullivan, Maureen Clayton, Lillian Arbini, Earl White, Merrie McGinnis, Dolores Cooper, Alice Borzini, Laura Campbell.

Third Row—Mr. Paterson, Counsellor; Barbara Tracy, Marie Vantrease, Joan Gugel, Margie Webber, Sally Henfling, Catherine Taylor, Jamesina Keeton, Gilbert Boyd, Jack Moon, Louis Hughes. *Second Row*—Barbara Freeman, Mary Amaral, Dorothy Thompson, Tui Wong, Joanne Gillette, Ruth Riebli, Rosemarie Lake, Genevieve Hildreth, Anna Marie Honatius, Dolores Grossi. *First Row*—Virginia Anderson, Artie Newton, Don Slason, Robert Franzel, Robert Peeke, Dana Bartlett, Robert Duncan, John Mendonsa, William Graham, Betty Matthiesen.

JUNIORS

Third Row—Mr. Tardy, Counsellor; Liston Sabraw, Eddie Hansen, Bob Thompson, Raphael Micheletti, Bill Wright, Marie Howe, Roberta Cunningham, Betty Booth, Anna Dieckmann, Aileen Thompson. *Second Row*—Kenton Stuve, Jack Schaefer, Dolores Gardner, Betty De La Montanya, Barbara Rowan, Dorothy Dingle, Pamela Pulley, Ardys Ellis, Alma Bynum, Ray Cirby. *First Row*— Herb Enyeart, Louis Merla, Tom Griffith, Dick Herkner, Brian Ruggles, Dave Ford, Roy Olson, Paul Burger, Dick Giudici.

Third Row—Miss Turner, Counsellor; Warren Marcus, Louis Gianetti, Delbert Hughes, Walter Leptien, Paul Ware, Gene Dahlin, George Hasler, Gary Morey, Herbert Mellen, Harold Nichelini. *Second Row*—Leland Ahern, James Hurt, Rosie Mazzoleni, Bernice Cain, Ethel Stanke, Joyce Flemming, Betty Rogers, Lois Jacobsen, Marjorie Michel, William Dougan. *First Row*—Milton Eggers, Roberta Vosgrau, Frances Lambdin, Betty Jo McKinney, Barbara Nilsen, Deloris Shields, Carla Fordyce, Naomi Eklund, Lucille Denman, Benny Bergue.

SOPHOMORE

Top Row—Richard Nave, Boys' Vice-President; Leo Andrade, President; Elmer Swanton, Editor (Soph Buzz); George Grasso, Associate Editor. *Bottom Row*—Don Walling, Secretary; Wanda Duncan, Yell Leader; Mr. Gulick, Advisor; Virginia Serna, Yell Leader.

FALL

The sophomore class elected officers late in the fall. The first group action occurred as a result of the class's spirit as freshmen. We won a War Bond selling contest then and were granted $85.00. As we had worked hard on the contest and had been told we could spend the money for our own entertainment, the class desired to spend the money accordingly. An able minority of the class thought that we should save this money, either to accumulate a junior fund to take care of expenses then or to go toward the Senior Class Gift. The majority decided, however, that the proceeds should be used for a hayride which only sophomores could attend.

SPRING

The fall officers were retained for the spring semester because of the short duration of their fall term office.

The first spring class meeting brought about the grouping of committees. The duties of these committees ranged from the sale of candy in the cafeteria to raise a class fund to the planning of a sophomore assembly. The class presented a skit for the Tam game assembly and entered the clothing drive contest between classes. Unfortunately for our class's rating in the contest, two truckloads of clothing came in after the drive was officially over, due to a misunderstanding.

Since sophomores are not eligible to hold Red 'N' White staff offices, the class decided to organize and mimeograph its own class paper, "The Sophomore Buzz." We hope that this experience will train us for Red 'N' White reporting jobs.

SOPHOMORE

Fourth Row—James Lethbridge, Wallace Steele, James Yates, Jensen Young, Jack Louie, Bill Blackstock, Don Pacheco, Frank Barkhurst, Miss Newcomer, Counsellor. *Third Row*—Meril Montgomery, Frank Fradelizie, Russell Reynolds, Duane Rice, Virgilio Ramponi, Ronald Stephens, Jack Stevens, Leo Andrade, Barbara Smith, Betty Arnold. *Second Row*—Carol De La Montanya, Betty Reitinger, Dorothy Good, Vivian Clapper, Gloria Schuyler, Lavonne Craig, Jacqueline Miller, Laura White, Wanda Duncan. *First Row*—Barbara Ziegler, Dorothy Cooper, Joan Picard, Dorothy Hooper, Lorraine Wicht, Wava Poague, Alice Chegwidden, Lee Jensen, Joanne Metzler.

Fourth Row—Danny Wise, Charles Bush, Lucille Johnson, Dolores Paradis, Betty Nave, Barbara Anderson, Virginia Serna, Gerry Patching, Patricia Keene, Doris Saunders, Betty Jo Kingery, Mr. Paterson, Counsellor. *Third Row*—Shirley Colen, Grace Mazza, Allen Hoffman, Elmer Swanton, Joe Amaral, George Grasso, Hugh Shera, Robert Marklinger, Patty Tullos, Betty Porter. *Second Row*—Bill Smith, Patty Mack, Gerry Purcell, Joan Wolters, Kathleen Vereker, Billie Rhoads, Christene Christensen, Barbara Purdy, Shirley Tobin, James Heidinger. *First Row*—Bruce Wade, Billy Riegelhuth, Edwin Gardner, Ray Reed, Frank Sabbatini, Richard Nave, Arthur Vantrease, Merle Anderson, Ross Rogers.

SOPHOMORE

Fourth Row—Bruce Grant, George Pinheiro, Bradley McNear, Fae McNally, Frank Mirgon, Gary Haisler, Charles Hubbard, Don Evans, Lloyd Smith, Kenneth Miller, Mr. Tardy, Counsellor. *Third Row*—Purdum Ruggles, Erwin Scheller, Jim Baxter, Ed Thompson, Lawrence Christensen, Jack Vallee, Harry Thornton, Don Anderson, Joe Kirby, Ralph Marowitz. *Second Row*—Remo Ronconi, Josephine Hansen, Helen Larrouy, Gwyneth Henley, Bill Mann, Dot Simon, Alice Westlund, Janet Young, Bob Mitchell. *First Row*—Shirley Demaretti, Sharon Harner, Beverlee Von Bima, Anne Sharpe, Evelyn Affonso, Eleanor Mastrup, Lucy Larrouy, Jean Hosier.

Fourth Row—GW. Simmons, William Cook, Stacy Brough, Millard Everhart, Gordon Blumenfeld, Robert Monti, Gordon Quilici, Harold Hildebrant, Donald Bertucci, Robert Ficken, Miss Turner, Counsellor. *Third Row*—Robert Thorsen, Richard Mathews, Curtis Chapman, David Stevens, Jerry Crocker, Melvin Treanor, Carl Young, Ivan Jump, James Frush. *Second Row*—Donald Walling, Esther Knutte, Elva Housh, Mollie Ann Stein, Carrie Horvath, Paula de Carlo, Martha Mae Johnson, Margie Owen, Natalie Simas, Michael Regan. *First Row*—Alberta Rivers, Nancy Larsen, Jean Warner, Rose Mary Meysembourg, Dorothy Schultz, Mary Simontacchi, Carolyn Olson, Patricia Rivers, Elizabeth Kortuem.

FRESHMEN

Top Row—Sui Wong, Boys' Vice-President; Bob Weber, Fall President; Sheridan Cannaday, Yell Leader; Mr. Paterson, Advisor; Richard Kachel, Yell Leader; Jim Estelle, Spring President; Orson Dee, Boys' Vice-President. *Bottom Row*—Betty Bartholow, Girls' Vice-President; Ruth Ruffino, Secretary; Sandra Tibbott, Secretary; Ruth Ruffino, Girls' Vice-President.

FALL

The freshman class of this year has been a very active organization. A Freshman Council was elected, consisting of two representatives from each Democracy Nine Class, to draw up a constitution.

The Social Committee, headed by the girls' vice-president, planned to give parties; while the Roundup Committee, formed and headed by the boys' vice-president, was to provide entertainment for the freshmen when the other clubs were having their meetings. The traditional freshman paper, "The Green Pea," was again organized with Bill Reece filling the job of editor.

There were several Wednesday roundups and one big, successful noon dance, followed by the clothing drive for Europe. The freshmen challenged the rest of the classes. The contest was a long, hard fight, but having won, the freshmen went out and scoured the town for clothes.

To end the fall semester, a big party was given. The turnout was very large and the party was really enjoyable.

SPRING

The spring officers have carried out some of their plans, although many of their plans are still in the planning stage.

The Roundup Committee had its first class roundup at the showing of the ski picture in the High Sierra by Mr. Fred Hines. The committee has a variety of future roundups planned to provide entertainment every Wednesday for the rest of the year.

The Social Committee is planning a noon dance to be held in the near future and a really big party before the year is over.

As a whole, the freshmen have been very active, both in their classes and in other activities throughout the year, proving themselves to be a good class and worthy of San Rafael High School. In contrast to the other classes having but one advisor, this class has had four to steer them through their very successful first year of high school with Mr. Paterson, head advisor; Miss Newcomer, Mr. Tardy and Miss Turner, co-advisors.

FRESHMEN

Fourth Row—George Paladini, Morris Mealer, Bob Strockbine, Sui Wong, Bill McEvoy, Suzanne Sullivan, Annie Bormolini, Ethel Tyler, Nancy Casebeer, Dorothy Barkhurst, Miss Newcomer, Counsellor. *Third Row*—Sandra Tibbott, Eldean Hazelton, Barbara Wadlow, Gerrie White, Joan De Bruyn, Shelly Bissell, Jacqueline Enlow, Marilyn Slepnol, Betty Rada, Pat Farley, Betty Cooper. *Second Row*—Helene Ladd, Darline Harms, Nella McCormack, Sheridan Cannaday, Don Tonelli, Dick Baird, Fong Wong, Dixie Foster, Joyce Keating, Carolyn Swartz. *First Row*—John Westlund, Jack Bones, Royal Hilliker, James Blagg, Remo Schirini, Ronald Cowles, Chet Lowney, Ronald Marsh, Angelo Albertoni, Robert Robertson.

Fourth Row—John Terzia, Leland Kidder, Joe Soldavini, Jr., Richard Oettel, Robert Riella, Jere Sewell, Marie McKinney, Ruth Gunn, Doty Charlotte, Sheldon Stern, Richard De Tata, Delos Jones, Mr. Paterson, Counsellor. *Third Row*—Ruth Ruffino, Barbara Bartlett, Marybeth Nichols, Diane Gillette, Bonnie Jerome, Patsy Patching, Joan Hoffman, Joy Johnson, Marilyn Carter, Eleanor Amaral, Joan Gunn, Harriet Gulp. *Second Row*—Fred Sabbatini, John Parkin, Ellamae Brown, Lillian Hildreth, Joan Frost, Lemar Hicks, Dorothy Tracy, Rodlyn Davis, Betty Frye, Robert Werner. *First Row*—James Evans, John Martens, Don Azevedo, George Massey, David Gottlieb, Samuel Keeton, David Stewart, Jack Dixon, James Maldi, James Lacey.

FRESHMEN

Fourth Row—Bruno Franchetti, Donna Mae Freeman, Donalyne De Carle, Marie Langerman, Jo Ann Herkner, Doris Davenport, Betty Bartholow, Mary Jo Baxter, Janis Davenport, Mr. Tardy, Counsellor. *Second Row*—Carl Whitcomb, Pat Herren, Lorraine Levy, Cristell Dennis, Anna Bettencourt, Muriel Cunningham, Loretta Westcott, Jack MacPhail, Bob Dixon, Jim Estelle. *Third Row*—Jean Ann Cohrone, Garcia Rayley, Luella Rosenkranz, Jo Ann Hicks, Rose Marie Shelly, Margaret Mattos, Kay McAbee, Joan Clark, Joyce Watkins, Barbara Oakley, Jane Rice. *First Row*—Paul Scheller, Sam Gardiner, Dick Ensign, Jerry Sparks, Bill Russell, Homer Marston, Harry Merla, Richard Kachel, Norman Austin.

Row Four—Lorraine Rogers, Patsy McKinney, Catherine Hoditz, Connie Lane, Dolores Holliday, Janie Shield, Marion Dee, Jane Graham, Judy De Pugh, Jeanine Adams, Shirley Crocker, Miss Turner, Counsellor. *Row Three*—Martha Smith, Mary Denman, Jeanne Arbini, Arthur Miller, Richard Ford, Vern Rose, LeRoy Cheney, Paul Poehlmann, Orson Dee, Betty Ahern, Ruth Heinrich. *Row Two*—Leroy Blake, Janet Braverman, Marilyn Anderson, Leona Owen, Jim Lee, Joan Tachouet, Margaret Bird, Sarah Wright, Marlene Miller, William Hunt. *First Row*—Edward Groff, William Reece, Richard Reece, Frederick Bruner, Barry Cheney, Richard Levy, Robert Weber, William Fleshman, Jene Chadwick.

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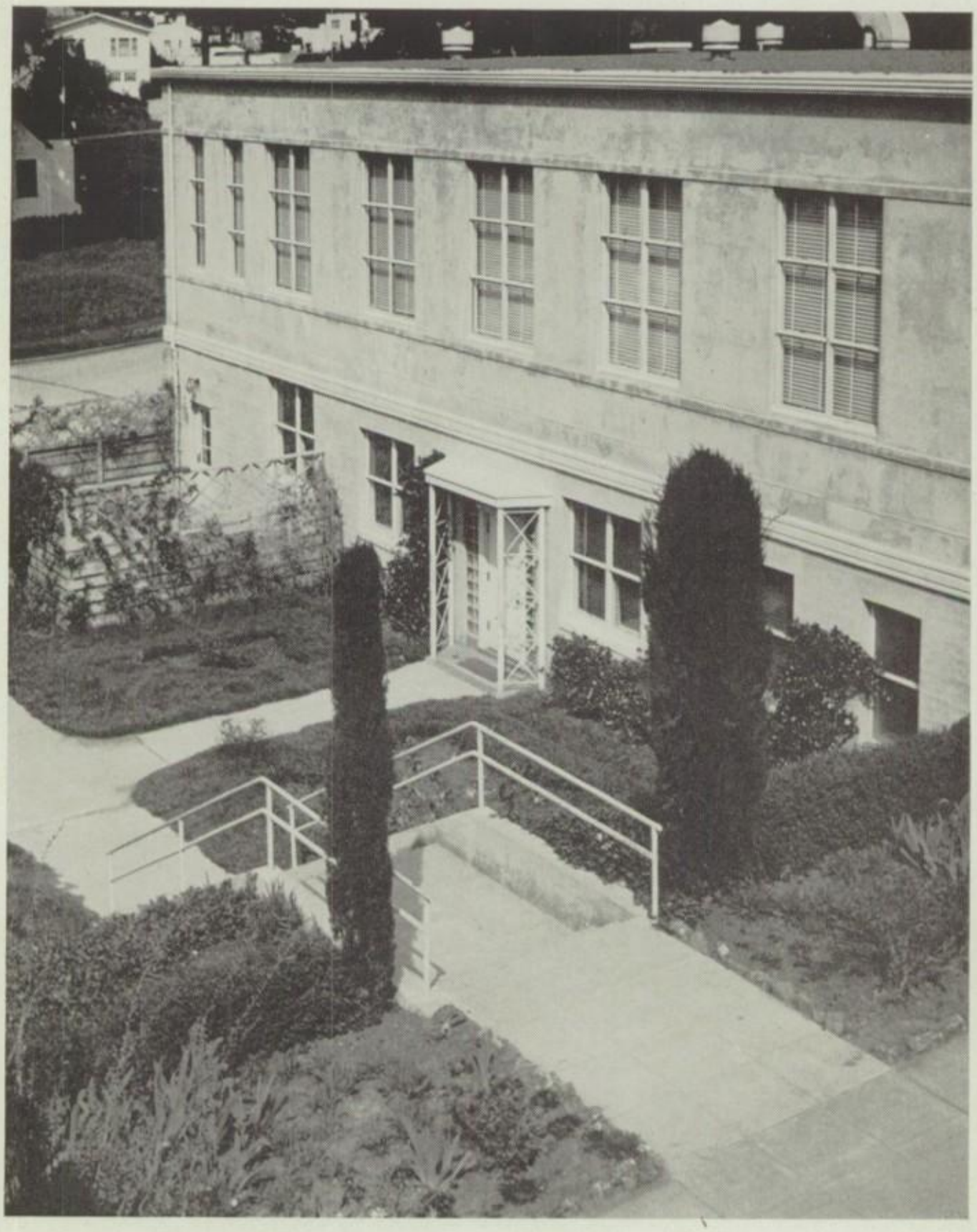

ORGANIZATIONS

STUDENT BODY OFFICERS

FRANCO GIUDICI
President

IVY ZETHRAUS
Vice-President

RON POTTER
Vice-President

MARY E. BROUCH
Secretary

RUTH OAKLEY
Treasurer

FLORINE FALK
Act. Point Sec.

OLA HAYDEN
Assem. Comm.

HANK WADLOW
Yell Leader

MR. ESTES, *Adviser*

The student body activities for the 1945 fall semester were under the direction of President Franco Giudici, his executive committee, and the Senate.

Immediately after senators were elected and the Senate formed, work was begun on several projects.

The annual Freshman Reception Dance, sponsored by the student body, was the season opener and a success. This was followed by the drives for War Bonds, Gifts for Wounded Servicemen, the March of Dimes, and the War Chest. The success of each of these drives proved that the students of San Rafael High School were willing to give their spending money for their country.

The Tam-San Rafael joint dance and the awarding of the football trophy were the only other major events of the year. The football trophy was to be given to the outstanding football player of the year. This was the first time for such an award. This idea was conceived by President Franco Giudici and approved by the Senate. The award went to Jack Barnes.

With few exceptions, everything the governing body undertook was a success. One main factor for this success was the splendid co-operation of the students with their officers and adviser, Mr. Estes.

FALL SENATE

Third Row—Remo Scherini, David Gottlieb, Philip Schiller, Richard Herkner, Dolores Cooper, Marie Howe, Eleanor Mastrup, Richard Nave, Jim Estelle, Orson Dee, Fong Wong. *Second Row*—Warren Dohemann, Ester Knutte, Shirley Ballard, Reva Gottlieb, Kay Mattos, Pat Fritz, Teddy Kell, Dot Simon, Jack Urban. *First Row*—Florine Falk, Ruth Oakley, Ron Potter, Franco Giudici, Ivy Zethraus, Mary E. Brough, Hank Wadlow, Ola Hayden.

STUDENT BODY OFFICERS

Immediately after the swearing in of the new Student Body President, Dick Caletti and his executive committee, the student leaders conducted an old clothes drive. This drive was a success. The school turned over six and a half tons. The freshman class starred first in this drive with a lead of several hundred pounds.

Getting subscriptions and sponsors for the 1946 Searchlight was the next task confronting the student body.

The executive committee then decided to boost the buying of trophies for the outstanding basketball and baseball player of the year. Individual medals for the members of the Marching Band who had served for three or four years were urged. The Senate passed these measures unanimously.

There were several drives throughout the year carried out by student collector groups, organized for the first time by Franco Giudici. They operated through first period classes, collecting donations from each first period class. Although the student response was not so great as in the war years, no outside organization asking our help was turned down; each received the quota it sought.

The executive committee saw to it that there was at least one student representative at all metings held in connection with the boosting of the school bond issue. The students of San Rafael High School were adequately represented at each of the league metings.

DICK CALETTI
President

MARILYN MONEY
Vice-President

JIM DAVIS
Vice-President

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Secretary

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Act. Point Sec.

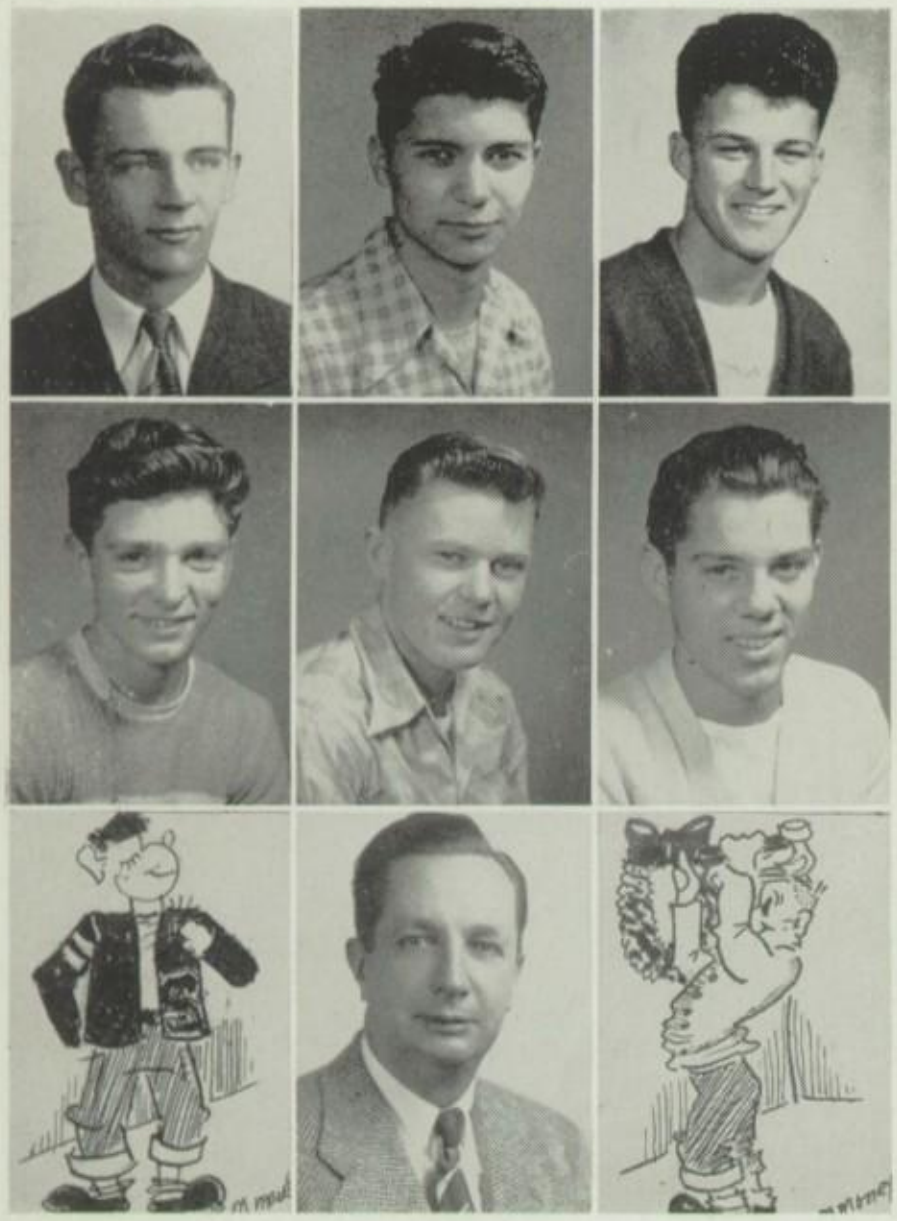
WARREN DOHEMANN
Assem. Comm.

FLORINE FALK
Yell Leader

SPRING SENATE

Third Row—Royal Hilliker, John MacPhail, Donald Tonelli, Liston Sabraw, Dolores Cooper, Bob Nelson, Judy De Pugh, Joe Kirby, Jim Lethbridge, Louie Hughes, Richard Giudici. *Second Row*—Pamela Pulley, Mei Wong, Shirley Ballard, Kay Mattos, Harriet Culp, Ramona Vincilione, Sheila McKinney, Ola Hayden, Wava Poague, Wanda Duncan. *First Row*—Dolores Martignoli, Florine Falk, Marilyn Money, Dick Caletti, Jim Davis, Warren Dohemann, Laura Christiansen, Ruth Oakley, Mr. Estes, Student Body Advisor.

BOYS' ORGANIZATION



JIM GILMARTIN
President, Fall

TEX RICHESEN
Vice-President, Fall and President, Spring

DELBERT HUGHES
Vice-President, Spring

LEO ANDRADE
Secreetary, Fall

DON WALLING
Secretary, Spring

RICHARD NAVE
Treasurer, Fall

MR. MELLEN
Advisor

The first meeting of the Boys' Board of Control opened with a full roster of activities scheduled by their officers and advisor, Mr. Mellen, awaiting their action. The first, was the placing of the "S. R." on the hill overlooking the school for the coming football season by the freshmen members of the Boys' Organization. The next activity was "Hello Day" which is given each year to help promote a neighborly spirit among the students.

Then came the program for the freshmen boys and new transfer students. As guests of the Boys' Board of Control, they were entertained and served huge helpings of ice cream, cookies and cake. Later in the semester the Boys' Organization held a meeting for all the boys.

In December the Christmas Charity Dance, sponsored annually by the organization, was held.

A party for freshmen boys was given on Valentine's Day and included all boys who had not yet entered school when the last such event was given.

March 14 featured the championship basketball intramural playoffs. This game saw Period III walk off the floor with the "crown."

The following week saw our tumbling club, under the direction of Mr. Fred Hines, present interesting stunts.

A record crowd turned out to see some exciting boxing and wrestling matches on May 17, Sports Night.

Third Row—Sheldon Stern, Leland Ahern, Del Hughes, Don Walling, Jim Baxter, Don Anderson, Jack Graham, Bob Duncan, Mr. Mellen, Dean of Boys. *Second Row*—Jim Estelle, George Grasso, Charles Richesin, Paul Poehlmann, Gordon Blumenfeld, Bob Monti, Paul Keiter. *First Row*—Leo Andrade, Richard Nave, Richard De Tata, Bob Weber, Bill Russell, Dick Levy, Bruce Grant.

GIRLS' LEAGUE

We of the Cabinet started our season by giving a Transfer Luncheon for new girls. Although starting out too formally, we finished in our usual friendly way.

Then came the Hallowe'en Girls' Jinx, with appropriate costumes and skits of an hilarious character.

The Cabinet continued sponsorship for "Lost and Found" articles, with a winter sale, and lowering of the flag. The Boys' Board of Control and the Cabinet enjoyed a lunch together. Miss Tasker gave an interesting talk on her experiences. Ellen Schuck, from Brazil, told us about her home.

The Spring Jinx, held close to St. Patrick's Day, was highlighted by the Alpha Kappa skit.

Largest event of the year came in May, the memorable Mothers' Tea. The Cabinet, in flowing formals, with Mrs. Murray Dean of Girls, received the mothers as they entered the auditorium.

In June, twelve girls, sophomores and juniors, were awarded chevrons, the highest school honor.

And so, until next year —the Girls' League may have a better year, but hardly a happier one.

Top Row—Lillian Gallassi, Fall President; Jean Nunes, Spring President; Barbara Rowan, Fall Vice-President; Clara Withers, Spring Vice-President; Carla Fordyce, Fall Secretary. *Middle Row*—Lillian Arbini, Spring Secretary; Mei Wong, Fall Treasurer; Tui Wong, Spring Treasurer; Barbara Nilsen, Fall Yell Leader; Betty De La Montanya, Fall Yell Leader. *Bottom Row*—Wanda Duncan, Spring Yell Leader; Carrie Horvath, Spring Yell Leader; Mrs. Murray, Advisor.

Third Row—Betty Jo McKinney Carrie Horvath, Wanda Duncan, Bebe Milani, Evie Harper, Mrs. Murray, Dean of Girls; Ola Hayden. *Second Row*—Tui Wong, Lillian Arbini, Carla Fordyce, Marilyn Money, Rosemarie Marenghi, Lillian Galassi. *First Row*—Jean Nunes, Florine Falk, Barbara Rowan, Clara Withers, Pat Boules.

YELL LEADER SCHOOL

Third Row—Mr. Woelz, Advisor; Barbara Wadlow, Ruth Ruffino, Lavonne Craig, Virginia Serna, Wanda Duncan, Dixianna Foster. *Second Row*—Dean Kachel, Bill Smith, Pat Farley, Vivian Clapper, Benny Hartske, Sheridan Cannaday. *First Row*—Carrie Horvath, Rosemarie Shelly, Hank Wadlow, Florine Falk, Pat Herren.

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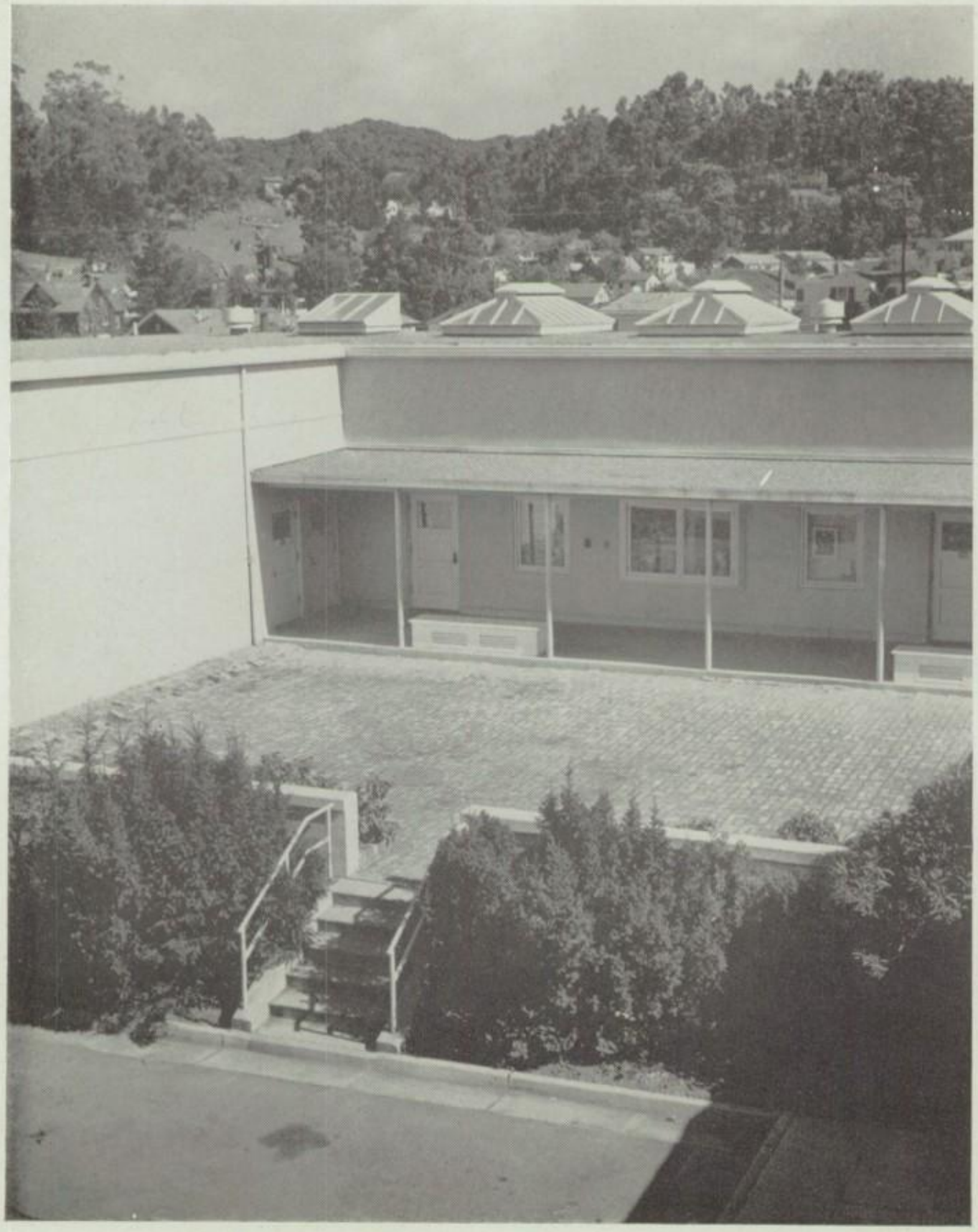

ACTIVITIES

SEARCHLIGHT STAFF

Top Row—Bebe Milani, Editor; Virginia Meysembourg, snaps; Tex Richesin, sports; Rosemarie Marenghi, clubs; Bill Almedia, sports; George Massey, ice cream sales; Miss Milliken, Advisor. *Bottom Row*—Marilyn Money, Secretary; Warren Dohemann, classes; Sally Henfling, Junior Representative; Arrah Hicks, administration; Lillian Lowery, activities; Mr. Estes pictures; Mr. Costello, financial advisor.

It is interesting to note that the origin of the name "Searchlight" (1898)—then a school paper—was to throw light upon the need for bonds for a new high school building. May 14, 1946, school bonds carried, 7-1, again.

The Searchlight staff takes this opportunity to thank Mr. Estes for his invaluable services in taking pictures for this Searchlight. We also wish to thank the following for their contributions to this book: Mary Lou Casillas, Jack Barnes, Leo Andrade, Marion Kell, and the organization representatives, for their editorial contributions.

Third Row—Mr. Pat W. Costello, Financial Advisor; Chas. Richesin, Betty Bartholow, Mary Jo Baxter, Marilyn Money, Lillian Lowery, George Massey, Miss Milliken, Advisor; *Second Row*—Jack Urban, Anne Marie Honatius, Sally Henfling, Marian Kell, Ola Hayden, Ruth Sullivan, Royal Hilliker. *First Row*—Rosemarie Marenghi, Arrah Hicks, Bebe Milani, Editor; Virginia Meysembourg, Dolores Martignoli, Sheila McKinney.

RED "N" WHITE

Top Row—Sheila McKinney, Fall Editor; Dot Stommel, Spring Editor; Liston Sabraw, Spring Managing Editor; Kent Stuve, Spring Associate Editor; Alice Borzini, Fall and Spring Assistant Editor; Bill Miller, Fall Sports Editor; Dick Calletti, Spring Sports Editor. *Bottom Row*—Dolores Martignoli, Fall Feature Editor; Reva Gottlieb, Spring Feature Editor; George Casselberry, Fall Business Manager; Jim Gilmartin, Spring Business Manager; Mr. MacChesney, Advisor.

Third Row—Bill Graham, Bill Miller, Reva Gottlieb, Ivy Zethraus, Catherine Taylor, Marilyn Sardi, Mr. MacChesney, Advisor. *Second Row*—Sally Henfling, Florine Falk, Sheila McKinney, Dot Stommel, Editor; Dolores Martignoli, Alice Borzini. *First Row*—Charlie Richesin, Franco Giudici, Liston Sabraw, Jack Graham, Kenton Stuve.

DRAMATICS

Third Row—Bill Miller, Jim Davis, Warren Dohemann, Jack Barnes, Bob Duncan, Jack Urban. *Second Row*—Shirley Ballard, Hank Wadlow, Lola Praetzel, Betty Jo McKinney, Ola Hayden, Bebe Milani, Evelyn Harper. *First Row*—Doris Law, Cecelia Forgnone, Kay Mattos, Miss O'Brien, Advisor; Barbara Tracy, Virginia Frank, Amymarie Reifschneider

This year's dramatics class students were livewires. About half of them—Cecelia Forgnone, Shirley Ballard, Warren Dohemann, Doris Law, Virginia Frank, Ola Hayden, Kay Mattos, Bebe Milani, Hank Wadlow and Jim Davis, had had previous experience last year in plays and in the dramatics class. The other half of the class were newcomers who evidenced their talents in the course of the year: Joan Dever, Jack Barnes, Bob Duncan, Evelyn Harper, Betty Jo McKinney, Jack Urban, Bill Miller, Lola Praetzel, Don Runge, Barbara Tracy and Amymarie Reifschneider. Unfortunately most of these students are graduating in June, but it is hoped that other students of similar ability will enter this class next year.

The outstanding work of the class was the Senior Play in March. The play was selected for its comic lines and funny situations. Its title was: "Believe It Or Not." There were fourteen characters in the cast. Everyone had a special job to do in order to insure the success of the play. Miss Patricia O'Brien, the director, chose the following production staff:

Assistant Director - - - - - - Barbara Tracy
Stage Manager - - - - - - - Bob Duncan
Assistant Stage Manager - - - - - Don Runge
Art and Costumes - - - - - - - Doris Law
Properties - - - - - - - - - Lola Praetzel
Ola Hayden, Betty Jo McKinney
Prompter - - - - - - - - - Bebe Milani

Production took six weeks. The play was well in hand by the fifth week.

The last week preceding the play was taken up with dress rehearsals necessitated by frequent changes of costume. Naturally everyone had the last minute jitters, but all were surprisingly calm when curtain time arrived. The audience, a very enthusiastic one that had come to enjoy itself, overflowed the auditorium. The orchestra played the opening numbers, the curtain went up and everyone relaxed.

Between acts while the audience recovered and prepared for the next act, the cast amused itself by using the set as a dance floor. When the final curtain rang down, we all knew the weeks of hard work had been worth while—the play was a hit. Since then we have been working on a series of one-act plays, most of which will be for our own experience during class time. Should we find one to our liking we may present it at an assembly. And that, fellow students, is the dramatics class at work.

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE

Third Row—Warren Dohemann, Jim Lethbridge, Doris Law, Shirley Ballard, Virginia Serna, Betty Jo McKinney, Orson Dee, Mr. Albanese, Advisor. *Second Row*—Marilyn Money, Mary E. Brough, Ray Reed, Dave Ford, Millard Everhart, Liston Sabraw, Ivy Zethraus, Gloria Schuyler. *First Row*—Sally Henfling, Cecelia Forgnone, Hank Wadlow, Bebe Milani, Teddy Kell, Marie McKinney, Ola Hayden.

Top Row—Ola Hayden, Fall; Warren Dohemann, Spring. *Bottom Row*—Mr. Albanese, Advisor.

The Assembly Committee Commissioners believe that this committee holds one of the most important jobs in our school. Aside from providing the opportunity for the participant to gain valued training in appearing before the public, the participants have the satisfaction of knowing that they are supplying the entertainment demanded by the student body.

Such entertainments as: the Minstrel Show, Hallowe'en Party, Radio Program, Black 1946 Out, and "Couth or Tonsequences" were put on only after weeks of preparation and hard work. Without the devotion and enthusiasm of the cast in the success of these assemblies, the assistance of the music department, and the help of our adviser, Mr. Albanese, these programs would not have succeeded.

Each production was first written, criticized, and rearranged for presentation by the students. Then a cast was chosen and costumes, make-up and stage settings were prepared. Mr. Kesler, in particular, acted in an advisory capacity and assisted in preparing all the musical numbers presented by the Girls' Chorus, soloists, pep and advanced bands.

The Assembly Committee was formed of all students who were interested, whether it was in writing, directing, music, participation, costuming, stage settings, art, or work behind the footlights.

Those students contributing to the success of these assemblies included: Shirley Ballard, Gordon Blumenfeld, Mary E. Brough, Dolores Cooper, Don Crisanti, Lawrence Christensen, Jim Davis, Orson Dee, Joan Dever, Warren Dohemann, Wanda Duncan, Don Dunn, Jim Estelle, Millard Everhart, Florine Falk, Dave Ford, Cecelia Forgnone, Barbara Freeman, Jack Graham, Bill Graham, Olo Hayden, Sally Henfling, Dolores Holliday, Lee Jensen, Paul Keiter, Teddy Kelly, Doris Law, Kay Mattos, Betty McKinney, Marie McKinney, Fae McNally and Band, Bebe Milani, Marilyn Money, Bob Monti, Ray Reed, Betty Reitinger, Liston Sabraw, Sheldon Stern, Eddie Thompson, Hank Wadlow, Bob Weber and Ivy Zethraus.

It is the sincere hope of Ola Hayden and Warren Dohemann, this year's commissioners, that next year's will have the same hearty response and enthusiasm which they enjoyed during the fall of '45 and spring of '46.

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MUSIC & CLUBS

BAND

Fourth Row—Albert De Rosa, Leo Flynn, Elmer Swanton, Jean Warner. *Third Row*—Dorothy Good, Paul Burger, Danny Wise, Jim Lethbridge, Bob Thompson, Gene Dahlin, Eddie Hansen, Dick Mathews, Purdum Ruggles, Kent Wilson. *Second Row*—Mary Brough, Gary Haisler, Dick Strockbine, Alice Chegwidden, Raphael Micheletti, Wally Steele, Dick Rollins, Wave Poague, Lois Jacobson, Marilyn Money. *First Row*—Ronald Stephens, John Mendonsa, Donald Bertucci, Bradley McNear, Bob Duncan, Joyce Watkins, Joyce Fleming, Marion Dee, Betty Murphy.

Second Row—Ed Thompson, Mr. Kesler, adviser; Fae McNally, Albert DeRosa, Gary, Haisler, Bob Robertson, Margaret Ritter. *First Row*—Betty Murphy, JoAnne Herkner, Orson Dee, Ethel Tyler, Elizabeth Korteum, Janet Braverman, Marilyn Carter.

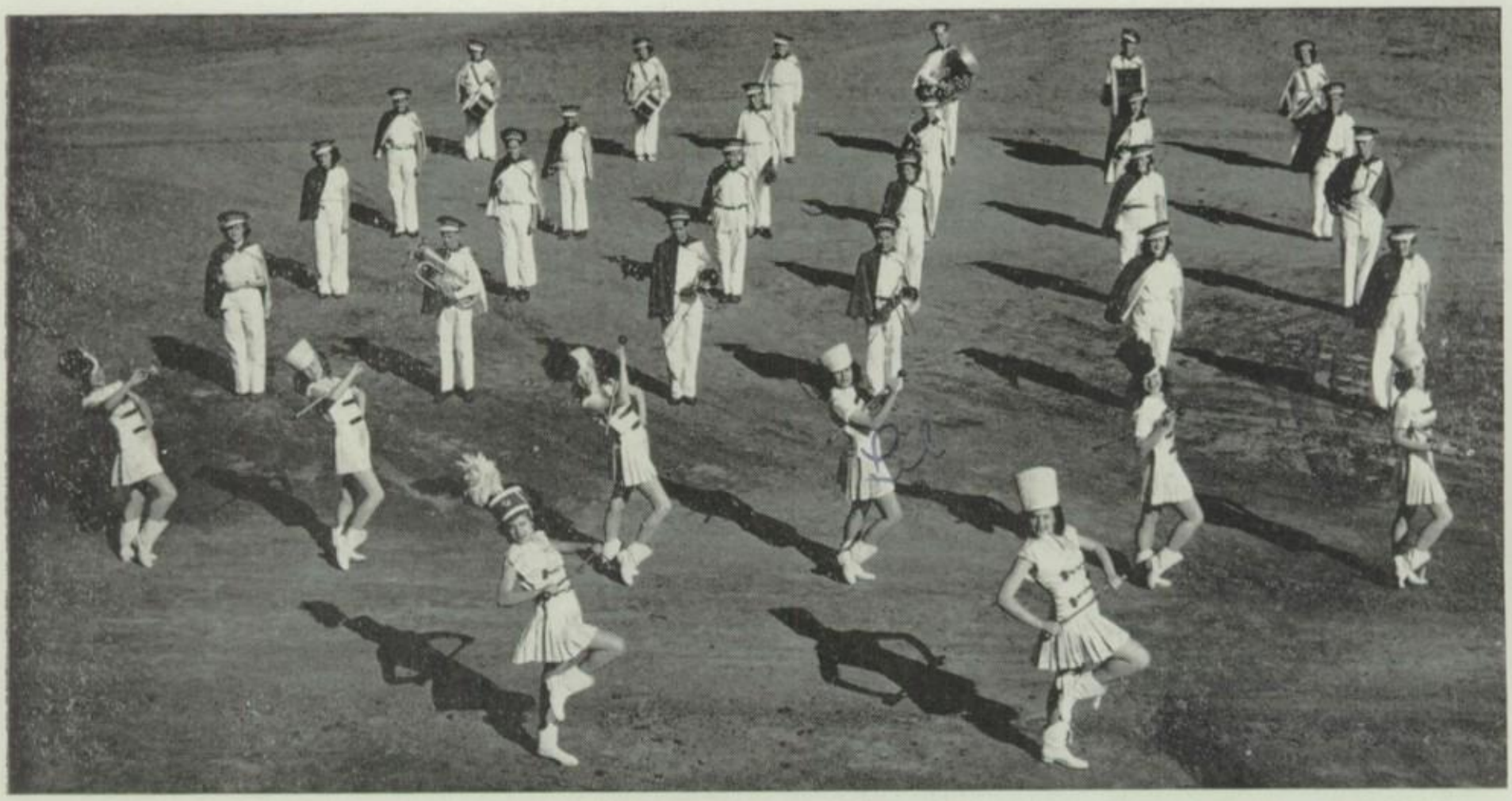
GIRLS' CHORUS

Fourth Row—Kay Mattos, Hank Wadlow, Lillian Hildreth, Roberta Vosgrau, Joan Tachouet, Pat Herren, Marie Vantrease, Helen Hill, Joan Gunn, Pat Rivers, Alberta Rivers, Mr. Kesler, Advisor; *Third Row*—Barbara Freeman, Dolores Holliday, Elizabeth Ahern, Barbara Bartlett, Betty Matthieson, Alice Chegwidden, Catherine Hoditz, Rodlyn Davis, Barbara Simonds, Georgia Schmidt, Yvonne Stonecipher. *Second Row*—Annette Enciroli, Joyce Flemming, Mary Brough, Margaret Bird, Betty Reitinger, Ruth Sullivan, Lola Praetzel, Janet Young, Harriet Culp, Bebe Milani. *First Row*—Lorraine Levy, Jane Graham, Leona Owen, Dorothy Tracy, Wanda Duncan, Lillian Galassi, Lee Jensen, Gloria Schuyler, Charlotte Doty.

BOYS' CHORUS

Third Row—Jim Heidinger, Bill MacEvoy, Gary Cannaday, Mike Regan, Russel Reynolds, Bill Schafer, Raphael Micheletti, Mr. Kesler, Advisor. *Second Row*—Kenneth Miller, Earl White, Frank Barkhurst, Albert De Rosa, Lawrence Christensen, Eddie Hansen, Bill Wright Sheldon Stern. *First Row*—Bob Nelson, Don Giorgi, Jack Urban, Dana Bartlett, Ray Reed, Fay McNally, Ed Thompson.

MARCHING BAND



PEP BAND

Second Row—Fae McNally, Eddie Hansen, Ed Thompson, Jim Heidinger, Albert DeRosa, Bob Robertson, Mr. Kesler, Adviser *First Row*—Marilyn Money, Donald Giorgi, Ramona Vincilione, Wally Steele, Dick Strockbine, Alice Chegwidden, Wava Poague.

Second Row—Mr. Kesler, Adviser; Jim Lethbridge, Eddie Hansen, Albert DeRosa, Leo Flynn, Ed Thompson. *First Row*—Fae McNally, Ramona Vincilione, Raphael Micheletti, Dick Strockbine, Alice Chegwidden.

RA RAVAS

RA RAVAS—FALL

Top Row—Evie Harper, President; Doris Peacock, Vice President; Mei Wong, Secretary; Tui Wong, Treasurer. *Bottom Row*—Lillian Galassi, Yell Leader; Won Wong, Reporter; Miss Cunningham, Advisor.

RA RAVAS—SPRING

Top Row—Doris Peacock, President; Hank Wadlow, Vice-President; Barbara Rowan, Secretary. *Bottom Row*—Sally Henfling, Treasurer; Evie Harper, Yell Leader; Ruth Sullivan, Reporter.

FALL—Under the leadership of President Evelyn Harper, a number of successful activities kept the "Rare Birds" on their toes. The chief money-making venture of the semester was the selling of souvenir programs during football season. A trip to Monaco's Theatre Restaurant; a formal, "The Snowball" which was given jointly with the Les Couturieres, and a dinner for our football teams were among the activities enjoyed throughout the term.

SPRING—With the spring came elections and Doris Peacock took over the duties of president. The most exciting thing that happened during her term of office was the trip to Yosemite Valley, which was made during the month of February by forty-six Ra Ravas and several of the girls' parents.

The "Fair Day," under the direction of "Hank" Wadlow and Shirley Ballard, was a success, the girls cooperating with their officers and Miss Cunningham's careful planning. The Barn Dance was another event, under the chairmanship of Lillian Galassi, which eveyone enjoyed.

Fifth Row—Frieda Knechtli, Alice Chegwidden, Deloris Shields, Barbara Nilsen, Lillian Arbini, Wanda Duncan, Ruth Sullivan, Barbara Rowan, Sally Henfling, Carla Fordyce, Lois Jacobson, Miss Cunningham, Advisor. *Fourth Row*—Kay Mattos, Betty Thomson, Katherine Taylor, Jackie Delsol, Dot Hooper, Sharon Harner,, Joan Picard Barbara Ziegler, Betty Nave, Lillian Galassi. *Third Row*—Joan Wolters Dorothy Cooper, Carrie Horvath, Jackie Miller, Julia Rice, Jerry Patching, Carol Rose, Evelyn Harper, Jean Allen. *Second Row*—Elizabeth Evans, Ruth Warner, Christine Christensen, Alice Borzini, Rosemary Marenghi, Tui Wong, Doris Peacock, Hank Wadlow. *First Row*—Arrah Hicks, Bebe Milani, Jean Nunes, Florine Falk, Ramona Vincilione, Won Wong, Lillian Lowery.

LES COUTERIERS

Top Row—Pat Lowney, President; Dolores Martignoli, Vice-President; Dolores Cooper, Corresponding Secretary; Pat Fritz, Secretary. *Bottom Row*—Reva Gottlieb, Treasurer; Betty De La Montanya, Yell Leader; Maureen Clayton, Yell Leader; Mrs. White, Advisor.

SPRING—In the spring, a Junior Red Cross Membership Drive was sponsored. A Senior Farewell Party, a noon dance by the senior members, a trip to the city to see the stage play, "Dear Ruth," a trip to Playland, an annual sport dance held in May, one regressive dinner, and one progressive dinner—these helped to make the year successful.

The biggest event of the year was the formal induction of new members.

This summer the girls are planning to take care of the Red Cross swimming campaign and to take over the ushering for the Marin Music Chest.

FALL—Under the capable hands of their advisor, Mrs. Mildred White, and the other officers, this club has kept busy with service both to the community and the school.

Les Couturieres act as chairman for all American Junior Red Cross activities within the school. Preceding the Christmas holidays, they filled fifteen Christmas boxes for soldiers.

During the fall term, a War Fund Drive was sponsored, twenty scrap books made for the Shriners Hospital, and red and white beanies and S.R. H.S. banners were sold.

Top Row—Reva Gottlieb, President; Margie Michel, Vice-President; Dolores Cooper, Secretary. *Bottom Row*—Clara Withers, Corresponding Secretary; Dolores Martignoli, Treasurer; Marie Howe, Yell Leader; Mary E. Brough, Yell Leader.

Fourth Row—Patricia Ruhlman, Lorraine Wicht, Doris Saunders, Mollie Ann Stein, Vivian Clapper, Patricia Boules, Betty Theron, Lola Praetzel, Jane Stephens, Evelyn Affonso, Elaine Borkheim, Mrs. White, Advisor. *Third Row*—Lavonne Craig, Margorie Michel, Dolores Martignoli, Dolores Cooper, Marie Howe, Laura Campbell, Marilyn Money, Wava Poague, Laura Christensen, Paula Martinelli, Barbara Tracy. *Second Row*—Mary E. Brough, Suzanne Smith, Beverly Von Bima, Elva Housh, Dorothy Stommel, Becky McCormach, Betty De La Montanya, Ola Hayden, Ivy Zethraus. *First Row*—Betty Jo McKinney Paula De Carlo, Virginia Frank, Patricia Lowney, Reva Gottlieb, Patricia Fritz, Sheila McKinney, Pamela Pulley, Billie Rhoades.

Top Row—Pat McAuliffe, President; Ethel Stanke, Vice-President; Betty Rogers, Secretary. *Bottom Row*—Betty Matthiesen, Scribe; Juanita Wehring, Treasurer; Mrs. Lorenzen, Advisor.

SIGMA GAMMA

FALL

The Sigma Gamma held its Fall initiation of new members in the High School Gym, in October of 1945. The initiation was under the direction of the club advisor, Mrs. Rhoda Lorenzen, and was followed by a dinner at Corey's. Election for new officers was held shortly after the initiation.

In November a skit, "The Night Before The Big Game," was put on by the club for the Tam. rally.

The order for club pins was the main topic of discussion in December of last year. The pins were ordered by Marilyn Sardi from Granat Bros., of San Francisco, and arrived in the Spring Semester.

SPRING

The installation dinner for the new officers took place at the Travelers Inn, the dinner being held for old and new members alike.

In the early part of the Spring Semester a food sale was held to make some money for the club. The club received $14.35 clear profit.

The annual club hike was held on April 13. The members and advisor, Mrs. Lorenzen, hiked to the top of Mt. Tamalpais and back.

The Play-Day was held May 25, in the High School Gym. The games played were baseball, basketball and volleyball. The Play-Day had a western theme and the schools attending were, from Sonoma County—Vallejo, Sonoma, Napa, Petaluma, Santa Rosa and Analy; from Marin County—Tamalpais, Tomales and San Rafael. The girls came from the sport clubs of the above schools, and each school put on a skit for the entertainment of the other clubs.

Third Row—Ruth Cope, Patricia McAuliffe, Martha Mae Johnson, Georgia Schmidt, Ethel Stanke, Mrs. Lorenzen, Advisor; Barbara Simonds. *Second Row*—Juanita Wehring, Anna Dieckmann, Shirley Colen, Genevieve Soldavini, Eleanor Mastrup, Betty Rogers, Mary Amaral. *First Row*—Alice Westlund, Natalie Simas, Myrtle Rogers, Phoebe Hill, Betty Matthiesen, Marilyn Sardi.

SPORTSMEN

FALL

The Sportsmen's Club has had one of the most successful and active years in its history during '45 and '46. Under the capable leadership of the fall term officers, the boys have combined many worth while activities with numerous good times, to make the year a successful one.

Early in September they were called on by the Office of Civilian Defense to collect paper and tin for the war effort. They responded by collecting an all-time record for the San Rafael area.

As their next activity, they assumed control of fire drills. Under their direction, the school has been evacuated more rapidly than before.

The Sportsmen's skit for the big Tam. football rally, the Bulldogs scalping the Tam Indians, won top honors as the best performance of the afternoon.

As the fall term came to an end, the annual banquet was held. The site chosen was Monaco's in San Francisco. After the evening's fun was over, the older members and Mr. Victor Jones, club advisor, proclaimed it the best "feed" in years.

Fall Term Officers:

Jack Barnes, President; Dick Caletti, Vice-President,
Dick Duncan, Secretary-Treasurer.

Top Row—Jack Barnes, Fall and Spring President; Dick Caletti, Fall Vice-President and Spring Secretary-Treasurer; Mr. Jones, Advisor. *Bottom Row*—Dick Duncan, Fall Secretary-Treasurer; Franco Giudici, Spring Vice-President.

SPRING

The spring activities included election of officers and voting on applications for new members. In past years it has been customary to limit membership to twenty, but this year it was decided to raise the limit to twenty-four.

Next on the program came a snow trip to the Sierras; the place chosen for the excursion was Emigrant Gap. The weekend the boys had in the snow will never be forgotten so long as one remembers any "real" good times. Skiing, snowballing, and just an all-around lot of fun made this trip an overwhelming success.

The next activity was the annual "Sportsmen's Frolic," which was held on April 26. With those prize babies, Albanese, Jones, Tardy, Money and Miller, acting as headline performers, the show was a grand success. It was generally regarded by the six hundred students who attended as the funniest stunt presented.

The rest of the semester was taken up by selling refreshments at the baseball games and having a good time in general. The final outing was a trip to Santa Cruz, enjoyed by the whole club.

Third Row—George Casselberry, John Armbruster, Bill White, Dick Caletti, Jack Barnes, Walter Leptien, Liston Sabraw, Mr. Jones, Advisor. *Second Row*—Bob Peeke, Charles Richesin, Herman Bottini, Franco Giudici, Dick Duncan, Don Crisanti, Dick Clark, Jim Davis. *First Row*—Earl White, Bob Nelson Dick Giudici, Emil Bettini, Jim Gilmartin, Lindy Dickson, George Hasler.

NU BETA SIGMA

Top Row—
Leo Flynn, President; Ed. Hansen, Vice-President.

Bottom Row—
Lois Jacobson, Secretary; Anne Marie Honatius, Treasurer; Mr. Kesler, Adviser.

FALL—The year was begun by the presentation of a placque by Genevieve Doose, the charter president of the club. This placque is to have the names of the presidents beginning with Genevieve Doose, Leo Flynn, and to date, Bebe Milani.

Right after school started the Nu Beta Sigma took in applications for new members. The five successful candidates were Wava Poague, Janet Young, Bradley McNear, Lola Praetzel and Alice Chegwidden.

Then came the biggest time of the semester—initiation. Our initiation was held at the Money residence in October. The rooms were cleverly decorated with Hallowe'en decorations. After the initiation, Mr. Estes took pictures of the new members.

On January 12 the Nu Beta Sigma sponsored the Annual Mid-winter Concert. The groups participating were Band, Orchestra, Girls' and Boys' Choruses and some soloists. The club luckily secured tickets for the opera "Carmen" for January 23.

Back Row — Bradley McNear, Eddie Hansen, Alice Chegwidden, Betty Jo McKinney, Carla Fordyce, Raphael Micheletti, Mr. Kesler, adviser. *Second Row*—Donald Bertucci, Lois Jacobson, Lola Praetzel, Bebe Milani, Janet Young, Leo Flynn. *Front Row*—Betty Reitinger, Ramona Vincilione, Marilyn Money, Kay Mattos, Wava Poague, Anne Marie Honatius.

SPRING—The Nu Beta Sigma continued it's work with the added forces of six new members: Jane Stephens, Betty Reitinger, Donald Bertucci, Betty Jo McKinney, Fae McNally and Kay Mattos who were installed on April 6.

On March 22 Mr. Kesler's home served as a class room for the club where he proved that school could be fun, at the school days party he gave. Everyone let their hair down and spent a very enjoyable evening.

Informal initiation was held for the six new members.

A week-end trip to the Russian River in May proved to be one of the highlights of the year.

In June, after weeks of preparation by the club, the Jamboree was given.

The members of the Nu Beta Sigma would like to express their appreciation to Mr. Kesler, our Advisor, who has assisted, through voluntary effort, to make the club an active organization.

Top Row—
Bebe Milani, President; Ramona Vincilione, Vice President.

Bottom Row—
Wava Poague, Secretary; Leo Flynn, Treasurer.

ALPHA KAPPA

Top Row—Jean Nunes, President; Dolores Martignoli, Vice-President; Clara Withers, Secretary. *Bottom Row*—Roberta Cunningham, Treasurer; Mrs. Lewis, Advisor.

FALL

The Alpha Kappa is an art club whose purpose is to make posters for advertisements for all school activities and to decorate for school dances and all other events for which art work is needed. In past years the student wishing to join filled out an application and was voted in by the members. Beginning next September this will be changed and all students, boys or girls, with a B average or higher in Art, will be able to join. Each Tuesday after school they have their regular work meeting. Food is brought by the members, and they work on posters or other art work for the school or work on their own individual projects, such as making belts and wallets. The club's colors are black and gold and its advisor is Mrs. Lewis.

Top Row—Pat Lowney, President; Sharon Harner, Secretary. *Bottom Row*—Evie Harper, Treasurer; Jean Nunes, Yell Leader; Dot Cooper, Yell Leader.

SPRING

During the past year the Alpha Kappa has been very active. For the old members the initiation is always one of the most enjoyable of their various activities. This is always followed by a dinner. The new members are then taken on an annual trip to San Francisco. In the fall they went ice skating and in the Spring they went to see the stage hit "Oklahoma." The girls looked forward to this trip and were not disappointed. In April they held a "cookie sale" at noon, the girls making the cookies. The year was ended by a Senior Farewell Party at the home of Mrs. Lewis, the advisor. Everyone brought their lunch and rested in the sun.

Thirl Row—Evelyn Harper, Marie Howe, Dorothy Hooper, Joan Picard, Barbara Ziegler, Roberta Cunningham, Barbara Rowan, Ruth Sullivan, Mrs. Lewis, Advisor. *Second Row*—Doris Peacock, Dolores Martignoli, Dolores Cooper, Sharon Harner, Marian Kell, Pat Ruhlman, Lavonne Craig, Clara Withers. *First Row*—Jean Nunes Dorothy Stommel, Arrah Hicks, Dorothy Cooper, Wanda Duncan, Mary E. Brough, Ivy Zethraus.

SCHOOL SECRETARIES

Top – Mary E. Brough, President; Lillian Lowery, Secretary. *Bottom* –Mrs. Boeken, Advisor.

FALL

WHO'S WHO IN THE SCHOOL SECRETARIES;

Mary E. Brough, president; Lillian Lowery, Secretary; Florine Falk, S.R.H.S. Yell Leader; Won and Mei Wong, Senior Treasurer and Scholarship Society President; Irene Ronsheimer, Shirley Palmer, Martha Liston, Pearl Ferrario, Virginia Meysembourg, Secretaries to School Executives; Reva Gottlieb, Red 'N' White; Bob Calhoon, Football Tackle; Faye Cook and Jean Stonecipher, Mrs. Hoots' office helpers; Doris Peacock, Ra Ravas; Pat Lowney and Pat Fritz, Les Couturieres; Pat McAuliffe, Sigma Gamma Prexy; Mary Lou Casillas and Donna Armstrong, Secretaries to Miss Turner, Counsellor. On the Senior Standing Committee this Spring are: Mary E. Brough, Florine Falk, Won Wong, and Doris Peacock. Betty Theron mimeographs the "Sophomore Buzz" for Mr. Paterson's group. Lillian Lowery is Secretary to Mrs. Murray, Dean of Girls, and Pat McAuliffe is Secretary to Mr. Mellen, Dean of Boys.

SPRING

THE SCHOOL SECRETARIES
(A Service Club)

"Busy People Always Find Time" is the motto of the School Secretaries, a service club, of San Rafael High School. For proof, ask one of them to do a clerical job for you. They work, and love it. Mary Brough is President and Lillian Lowery, Secretary.

In their hope of becoming model secretaries, business situations are created as nearly as possible in service to the administration, faculty and community. All mimeographing and correspondence is handled as laboratory work.

The School Secretaries Club is not for girls alone, but boys have joined with personal satisfaction in war service.

Students are "real business workers" with Mrs. Boeken as employer. Each member serves one or more teachers and executives as secretary. This "breaking-in" training cuts down a year of the apprenticeship period which business expected in the past.

Third Row—Faye Cook, Virginia Meysembourg, Shirley Palmer, Betty Theron, Pat Lowney, Pearl Ferrario, Mary Lou Casillas. *Second Row*—Pat McAuliffe, Mrs. Boeken, Advisor; Donna Armstrong, Pat Fritz, Doris Peacock, Florine Falk, Reva Gottlieb, Irene Ronsheimer, *First Row*—Won Wong, Mary E. Brough, Lillian Lowery, Mei Wong.

SCHOLARSHIP SOCIETY

Top Row—Mei Wong, President; Marilyn Money, Vice-President. *Bottom Row*—Barbara Rowan, Secretary; Teddy Kell, Treasurer.

FALL

During the fall semester funds were raised for the two college scholarships a year we support.

In January the Society sponsored an assembly on scholarships for which the students might compete, especially those offered by the University of California Alumni Association. Among other scholarships discussed were those offered by the Marin County Parent Teachers' Association, the Scholarship Society, and Cyrel Evanow Memorial Fund.

New members initiated in October were Gilbert Boyd, Ola Hayden, Richard Mathews, Sheila McKinney, Gerry Patching, Julia Rice, Doris Saunders, Lorraine Wicht and Jensen Young.

Top Half—Cole Blease, President; Leo Andrade, Vice-President; Mei Wong, Secretary. *Bottom Row*—Jensen Young, Treasurer; Miss Flint, Advisor.

SPRING

With the coming of Spring and February 22 the San Rafael High School Scholarship Society gaily entered into the initiation of its new members: Marilyn Carter, Orson Dee, Jo Ann Herkner, Marian Kell, Pat McKinney, Ross Rogers, Deloris Shields and Tui Wong. Students and their guests enjoyed high-jinks and refreshments in the cafeteria after the formal program in the library.

During the basketball season, the Society continued its campaign to earn money for scholarships by selling soft drinks and ice cream at the home games.

May brought an excursion to Golden Gate Park and the first post-war convention of the California Scholarship Association. The Northern Chapters were guests at Healdsburg on May 11.

Members of the Society congratulate Paula Martinelli, Bebe Milani, Marilyn Money and Ronald Potter who previously had earned life memberships in the California Scholarship Federation in January. At graduation they, with other seniors who have earned membership for at least two thirds of their high school careers, will receive the life membership pin and the right to the seal of the Federation on their diplomas and their high school transcripts.

Third Row—Ruth Oakley, Anne Marie Honatius, Barbara Rowan, Mei Wong, Florine Falk, Marilyn Money, Patricia Ruhlman, Laura Christensen, Dorothy Good, Miss Flint, Advisor. *Second Row*—Carla Fordyce, Tui Wong, Rosemarie Marenghi, Evelyn Affonso, Bebe Milani, Sheila McKinney, Marian Kell, Ola Hayden, Patricia McKinney. *First Row*—Wayne Kennedy, Leo Andrade, Ross Rogers, Richard Mathews, Harold Hildebrant, Jensen Young, Cole Blease, Eddie Hansen.

RALLY COMMITTEE

Top Row — Hank Wadlow, President.

Bottom Row — Pat Boules, Sec.-Treas.; Mr. Woelz, Advisor.

FALL—Pep!! Lots of it!! That's the aim of the Rally Committee. Last fall, working at full capacity, it achieved its goal.

Feeling that rallies were the best method of enlivening school spirit for games, plans were laid for many of them during the fall football sason. Each rally worked toward the climax, which was the rally for the "big" game with Tamalpais. At this "Tam" rally, each Sportsmen's skit, the portrayal of the San Rafael "Bulldog" barbers scalping "Tam Indians." The skits were all exceptionally good, as was our score, for we won.

However, the Rally Committee was not formed for entertainment alone. A lot of time and hard work went into putting over the rallies.

During the football season, all members were active in controlling the spectators at the games and in keeping the necessary aisles and bleachers clear.

To boost its very depleated treasury, the Rally Committee sold Bulldog decalls and other articles.

As spring approached and basketball season came, the first thought of the committee was still—Pep!!!

Back Row—Robert Monti, Paul Keiter, Gordon Blumenfeld, Warren Dohemann, Dorothy Hooper, Wanda Duncan, Bill Smith, Bill Wright, Walter Leptien, Mr. Woelz, Advisor. *Center Row*—Jensen Young, Dolores Cooper, Barbara Rowen, Barbara Ziegler, Millard Everhart, Shirley Ballard, Kay Mattos, Lillian Arbini, Eddie Hansen. *Front Row* — Allen Hoffman, Mrs. C. Giampaoli, Dorothy Cooper, Pat Boules, Marilyn Money, Florine Falk, Hank Wadlow, Cole Blease.

SPRING—The Rally Committee went to work on its never-ending goal of raising and maintaining the sportsmanship and spirit of our School. Success reflects co-operation from all school groups.

Flashbacks on the year's activities include: Billy Wright and Jensen Young holding back a surging line at the football game; the Cooper sisters singing on the bus; lovely Kay Mattos singing at the rallies and having her initials carved in a "Blumenfeldus" tree by ardent Fae McNally; Benny Hartske as the San Rafael Bulldog; those stellar crackerjack salesmen, Charlies Grandi, Jim Gilmartin, Dana Bartlett and Ron Potter; Monsieur Dohemann, painter of thumbs, with attractive Shirley Ballard as a model, and Paul Keiter and his never-ending electrical gadgets.

Top Row — Fity Falk, President; Marilyn Money, Vice-President.

Bottom Row — Dot Cooper, Secretary-Treasurer.

4-H CLUB

Second Row—Harold Hildebrant, Jack Stevens, assistant leader; Jack Moon, secretary; Mr. Hildebrant, Advisor. *First Row*—Jim Yates, president; Virgilio Rampo ni, Bruce Grant, vice president.

FIRST PERIOD SALESMEN

Back Row—Dick Rollins, George Grasso, Barbara Ziegler, Ruth Oakley, Laura Campbell, Ramona Vincilione, Richard Nave, Mr. Simontacchi, Advisor. *Third Row*—Bob Nelson, Betty Jo McKinney, Wanda Duncan, Bebe Milani, Gerry White, Mary E. Brough, Freida Knechtli, Jim Estelle. *Second Row*—Stacy Brough, Carla Fordyce, Dolores Cooper, Beverly Von Bima, Ola Hayden, Henryetta Wadlow, Warren Dohemann, Richard Giudici. *Front Row*—Ray Reed, Dorothy Cooper, Jean Nunes, Lillian Galassi, Dolores Martignoli, Bob Weber, Remo Scherini.

ROYAL
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SEARCHLIGHT

ATHLETICS

VARSITY

Top Row—Jim Gilmartin, Captain; Mr. Miller, Coach. *Bottom Row*—Mr. Jones, Coach.

Although falling somewhat short of duplicating the feats of the previous year's team which won the championship, the "Battling Bulldogs" were, nevertheless, a very formidable aggregation. Placing second in league standings and drawing great crowds, the season was, in every way, a success.

First string lineups for the Bulldogs of 1945 were: Delbert Hughes, left end; Lindy Dickson, left tackle; Don Crisante, left guard; Ronnie Potter, center; Jim Davis, right guard; Dick Beyer, right tackle; Franco Giudici, right end; Jim Gilmartin, quarterback; Bob Nelson and Jack Graham, halfbacks, and Jack Barnes, fullback.

Two boys placed on the All-League Team. These boys were Jim Gilmartin and Jack Barnes. Lindy Dickson made second string all-league, and Bob Nelson received honorable mention.

San Rafael	6	Albany	0
San Rafael	12	Richmond	19
San Rafael	20	Analy	0
San Rafael	19	Petaluma	0
San Rafael	33	Napa	6
San Rafael	13	Vallejo	38
San Rafael	0	Santa Rosa	20
San Rafael	14	Tamalpais	6

This was the sixth straight year in which the Bulldogs have beaten their annual rivals from Tamalpais. Before a record breaking crowd, the Bulldogs scored in the third and fourth quarters and converted both times to score the victory. Scoring for the Bulldogs were Barnes, who scored a touchdown and two conversions, and Gilmartin, who scored the other touchdown.

Fourth Row—Herbert Mellen, Bob Peeke, Bob Franzel, Richard Giudici, Curt Askim, Clarence Hansen, Frank Mirgon, Jim Olson, Ed Gardner, Don Runge. *Third Row*—Liston Sabraw, Wayne Kennedy, Milton Eggers, Jim Hubbard, Bill Van Dalsem, Jim Heidinger, Ron Potter, Jim Baxter, Bradley McNear. *Second Row*—Coach Miller, Jack Louie, Bill Lasseter, Franco Giudici, Charles Grandi, Earl White, Elmer Swanton, Floyd Ahern, Jim Davis, Don Crisanti. *First Row*—Bruce Grant, (Mgr.); Jack Graham, John Mino, Bob Nelson, Jim Gilmartin (Captain); Jack Barnes, Walter Leptien, Delbert Hughes, Louis Hughes, Mr. Jones, assistant coach.

LIGHTWEIGHT FOOTBALL

This year for the first time since the outbreak of the war lightweight football was resumed in the North Bay League. The five schools comprising the league were Napa, Petaluma, Vallejo, Tamalpais and San Rafael.

Coach B. J. Simontacchi's boys were handicapped by the fact that they were outweighted, they were in most cases not outplayed, as exemplified by their season's record: won 3, lost 2, tied 2.

Also, it should be mentioned that Rich Nave, who in his freshman year starred for this same team, was out most of the season with a bad back and as a result the team lost the services of its best ball carrier.

Highlight of the season was the annual "little big game" with Tam Union on Armistice Day. Entering the game decidedly underdogs to their rivals who were headed for the championship, the Bullpups held Tam's vaunted ground game to a net gain of minus twenty-eight yards. With Giorgi, Wise, Calhoon, Hasler and Dockery stopping every play coming their way, it is little wonder that the ball was in San Rafael's possession most of the afternoon.

The starting line-up for the Bullpups during the season was: George Casselberry, right end; Bob Calhoon, right tackle; Co-Captain Don Giorgi, right guard; Bill Dockery, center; Danny Wise, left guard; Co-Captain George Hasler, left tackle; Bob Duncan, left end; Paul Sasse, quarterback; Frank Sabbatini, left half; Charles Richesin, right half, and Jack Vallee, fullback.

Although they were injured early in the season, Dick Caletti and Dana Bartlet were voted blocks because they were veterans from last year and had given valuable service to the team up to the time they were hurt.

RESULTS

San Rafael	19	- - -	Tomales	6
San Rafael	13	- - -	St. Anselms	0
San Rafael	0	- - -	Petaluma	0
San Rafael	9	- - -	Napa	14
San Rafael	19	- - -	Vallejo	25
San Rafael	0	- - -	Tamalpais	0
San Rafael	26	- - -	S.R.M.C.	0

Top Row—Don Giorgi, Captain; George Hasler, Captain. *Bottom Row*—Mr. Simontacchi, Coach.

Fourth Row—Jim Estelle, Elmer Gladden, Jim Lethbridge, Ivan Jump, Don Anderson, Bob Duncan, Louis Gianetti, Bob Thorsen, Don Walling. *Third Row*—Jim Lee, Bill Mann, Bill Dockery, Carl Graham, Bill Cook, John Mendonsa, Jack Vallee, Leo Andrade, Frank Sabbatini, Richard Nave. *Second Row*—Harry Thornton, Chet Lowney, Bill Smith, Bill Riegelhuth, Richard Herkner, Danny Wise, Dick Reece, Coach Simontacchi. First Row—Bob Weber, Charles Richesin, Dick Levy, George Hasler, Don Giorgi, Russell Reynolds, Dana Bartlett, George Casselberry, Lawrence Christensen, Sheldon Stern, (Mgr.).

VARSITY BASKETBALL

Top – Dick Duncan, Captain; Mr. Miller, Coach.

PRACTICE GAMES

San Rafael 30	- - -	Marin Junior College	23
San Rafael 31	- - -	Richmond	32 (overtime)
San Rafael 23	- - -	El Cerrito	18
San Rafael 32	- - -	Santa Rosa Navy	24
San Rafael 25	- - -	Marin J. C.	36
San Rafael 23	- - -	St. Vincent's (Vallejo)	42
San Rafael 26	- - -	El Cerrito	27
San Rafael 24	- - -	Albany	21

The first opponent in league play was Vallejo (who later went on to win the championship) in a game that wasn't decided until the final whistle. With Gilmartin hitting from every angle, the Bulldogs fought back from a bad first half to tie the score, only to see the visitors score a last minute basket to win by a 34 to 32 score.

Coming back after the heart-breaking Vallejo game, the Tamalpais Indians proved no match for the Bulldogs as the whole first string made baskets to down their rivals by a score of 34 to 29.

The Santa Rosa game followed, and here a lowly substitute, up to that time, won the game for San Rafael. Trailing throughout the contest, Charles Grandi made three beautiful shots in a row to sink the Panthers by a 24 to 20 margin.

Analy, the next opponent, proved easy pickings for the Bulldogs as Captain Dick Duncan led his team to a 36 to 22 win. Duncan's backboard play in this game still has spectators talking.

Petaluma was the next victim. Getting off to a fast start, the "locals" led 22 to to 5 at half-time. In the second half, with the first-stringers warming the bench, the Trojans crept up until Coach Miller was forced to put the regulars back in. Jack Barnes led the boys in this game by garnering 16 points.

The Napa game was by far the most exciting contest of this season, or any other season as far as that goes. Besides a good game, a riot and our star player getting knocked out were feature attractions. Oh yes, we lost 31 to 27.

In a game that was strictly anti-climax, we lost to the Tamalpais Indians in the final game of the league season. Minus Dick Duncan, who had not recovered from the Napa game as yet, the Bulldogs seemed lost without him, and although they led most of the game, lost out in the final minutes, 26 to 20. Looking back, we find the Bulldogs won 16 games while losing seven.

Second Row—Jim Gilmartin, Bill White, Walter Leptien, Bob Peeke, Delbert Hughes, Wayne Kennedy, Bill Smith. *First Row*—Bob Monti, Manager; Charles Grandi, Clarence Hansen, Jack Barnes, George Grasso, Coach Miller.

LIGHTWEIGHT BASKETBALL

Beginning the season with only one returning member of the previous year's team back to add experience, the San Rafael Lightweights with four newcomers in starting roles, worked themselves into a smooth-moving machine and, as a result, won game after game as the season progressed. Going into the last game of the season, they were headed for the championship, but, as so often happens, an upset occurred, so they had to be content with a tie for second place.

Throughout the season the team was sparked by Captain Bob Duncan and the two brilliant forwards, Jack Vallee and Bill Dockery. This trio gave the Bullpups the highest scoring aggregation in their league. Final tabulation shows the lightweights won twenty games while losing four.

In the league opener, the Bullpups fell before the taller and more experienced Vallejo Apaches, who later went on to win the championship. Though Bob Duncan was high point man for the evening with 12 points, it was not enough, as we lost, 36 to 20.

The next game was by far the most spectacular from the spectators' viewpoint. In this game with their annual rivals, the Tamalpais Papooses, the lightweights entered the final quarter trailing by ten points, and it looked very much as though they were going to drop number two in league competition. However, in the last quarter they came to life and managed to win the game in the final seconds by a 32 to 31 score.

The next four games with Santa Rosa, Analy, Petaluma, and Napa, saw the Bullpups come out the victors. In the meanwhile Vallejo had lost a game to Santa Rosa, so as the season entered its final week, we were tied for the championship.

The final game saw the Red 'N' White play Tam. in a return game on the opposition's court. This factor, plus the fact that the championship was riding on the outcome, seemed to play havoc with the "locals" as they took their worst dumping of the year by a 30 to 20 margin.

LEAGUE GAMES

San Rafael	20	Vallejo	36	San Rafael 32	Tamalpais 31
San Rafael	29	Santa Rosa	16	San Rafael 27	Analy 16
San Rafael	26	Petaluma	17	San Rafael 25	Napa 20
		San Rafael	20	Tamalpais 30	

Top – Bob Duncan, Captain; Mr. Miller, Coach.

Second Row—Coach Miller, Frank Sabbatini, Rich Nave, Bill Miller, Bruno Franchetti, John Mendonsa, Robert Weber. *First Row*—William Dockery, Jack Vallee, Robert Duncan, Leo Andrade, Charles Richesin, Robert Monti.

C BASKETBALL

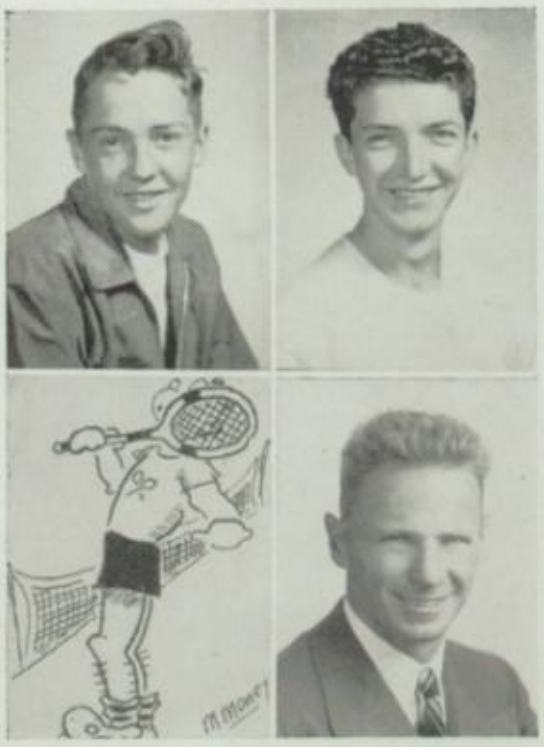
Mr. Gulick, Coach

San Rafael	8	Santa Rosa	15
San Rafael	18	Vallejo	33
San Rafael	24	Petaluma	28
San Rafael	7	Tamalpais	27

Back Row—Coach Gulick, George Grasso. *Center Row*—Harry Merla, Richard Kachel, David Gottlieb, Remo Scherini, Jim Law. *Front Row*—Raoul Vincilione, Dick De Tata, Bill Russell, Homer Marston, Royal Hilliker.

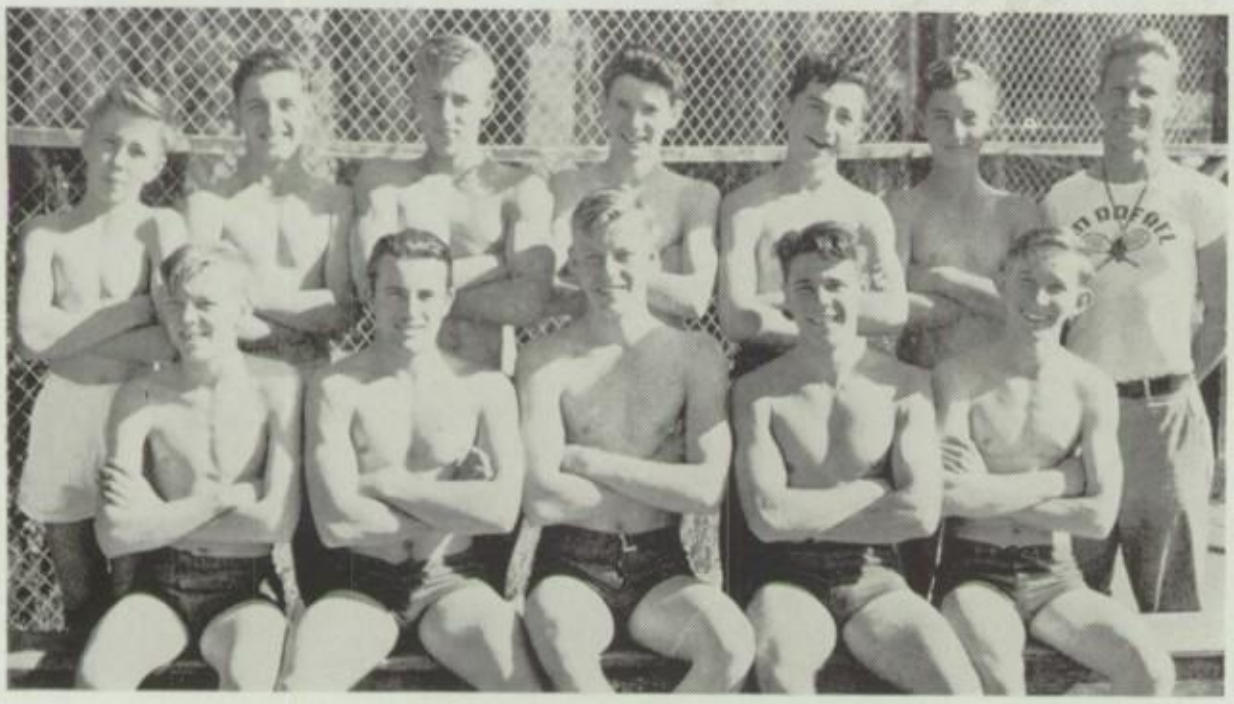
TENNIS

Third Row—Lloyd Smith, Glenn Lewis, Dick Caletti, Frank Mirgon, Leo Freitas, Jack Moon, Harold Hilderbrant, Jim Yates. *Second Row*—Don Bertucci, Richard Herkner, Lawrence Christensen, Wally Steele, Bud Rockwell, Dick Mathews, Edwin Gearhart. *Bottom Row*—Harry Merla, Jerry Sparks, Richard Tonelli, Jack McPhail, Jack Parkin, Coach Hines.



Top Row—Dick Mathews, Captain; Bud Rockwell, Captain. *Bottom Row*—Mr. Hines, Coach.

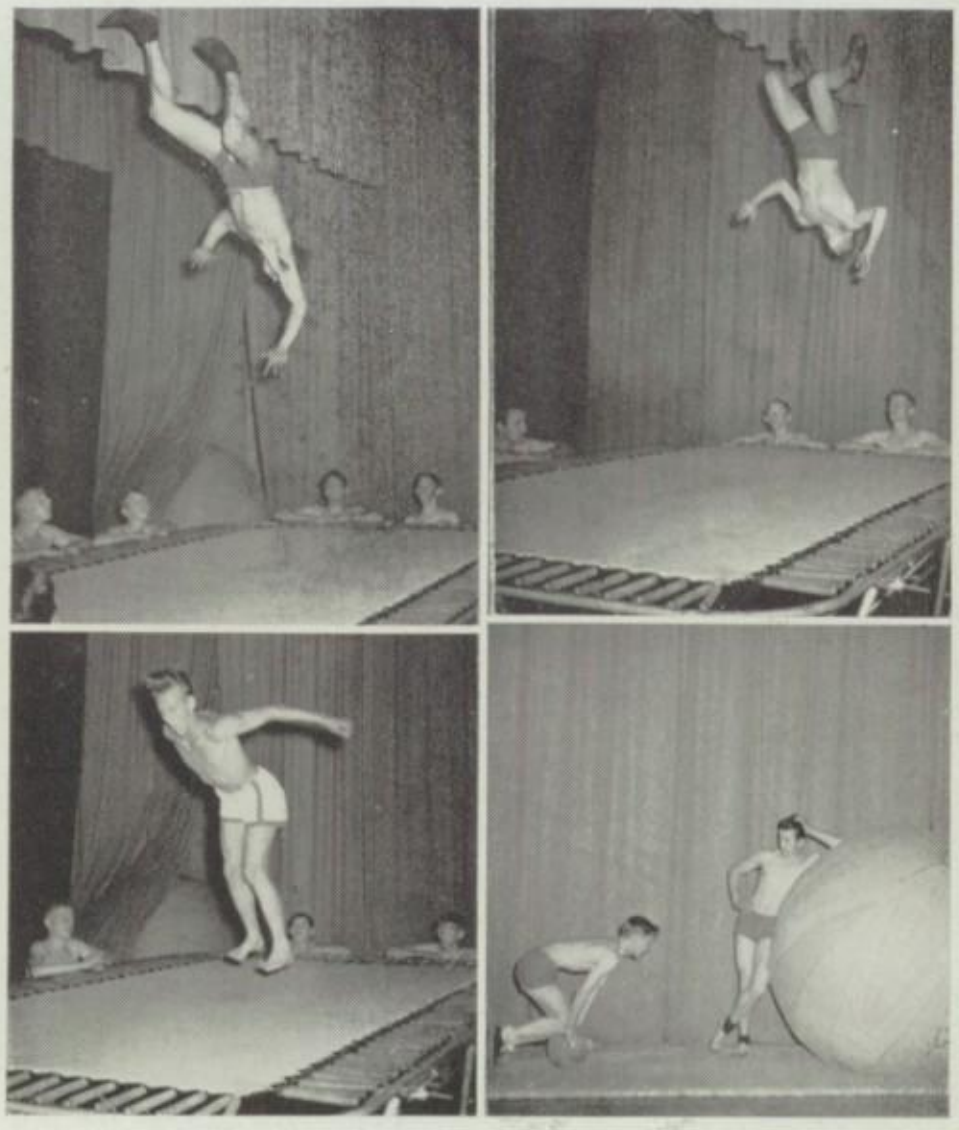
TUMBLING



Top Row—Dean Kachel, Benny Hartske, Bill Riegelhuth, Orson Dee, Jim Law, Jerry Sparks, Mr. Hines, Coach. *Bottom Row*—Lon Casady, Jack Urban, Cole Blease, Don Redley, Paul Burger.

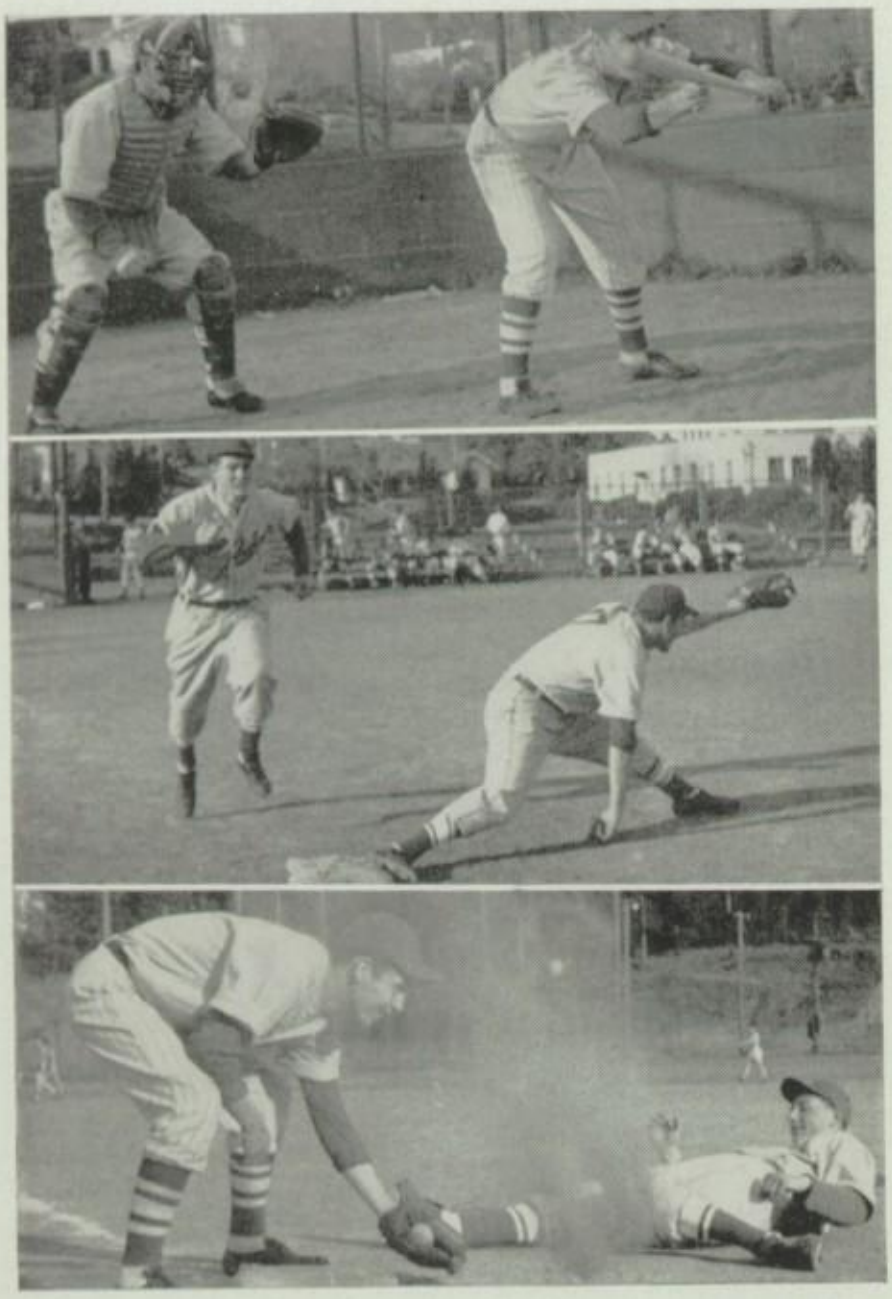
Ron Potter, Captain, Mr. Hines, Coach

The Tumbling Club has shown increasing activity throughout the year. The interest in the club was shown by the large turn-out of freshmen as well as the return of older members at the beginning of the year. A new piece of equipment, called a trampoline, is already in use and has been added to the mats and springboard which has been used quite extensively. Several shows have been given during the year. Shows were put on at football games and at the Masonic Hall, and also trips were made to high schools at Healdsburg, Vallejo and Sonoma. These shows were put on to stimulate interest in tumbling, and also for the enjoyment of the members themselves. The shows consist of a springboard routine, single and double work on the mats, and routines on the trampoline. Practice for these routines is carried out during regular gym period and during a special seventh period class. The freshmen have not as yet worked into routines but will as soon as they have had more experience. All members have worked hard on the routines under the expert leadership of Mr. Fred Hines and they have gradually added to their series of stunts. With Ron Potter acting as master of ceremonies the following were participants: Ben Hartske, Paul Burger, Lon Casady, Cole Blease, Ron Potter, Don Redley, Jack Urban, Bill Riegelhuth, Dean Kachel, Orson Dee, Jim Law and Jerry Sparks.



BASEBALL

Third Row—Dick Levy, Manager; Bill Almeida, Bill White, Jim Gilmartin, George Casselberry, Bill Lasseter, Delbert Hughes, Louis Hughes, Manager. *Second Row*—Robert Robertson, Paul Sasse, DeLos Jones, Jim Hurt, Bill Russell, Gordon Quilici, Remo Scherini. *Bottom Row*— Coach Miller, John Mino, Jim Baxter, Jack Barnes, Bob Nelson, George Grasso, Leo Andrade, Walter Leptien.



BASEBALL SCORES

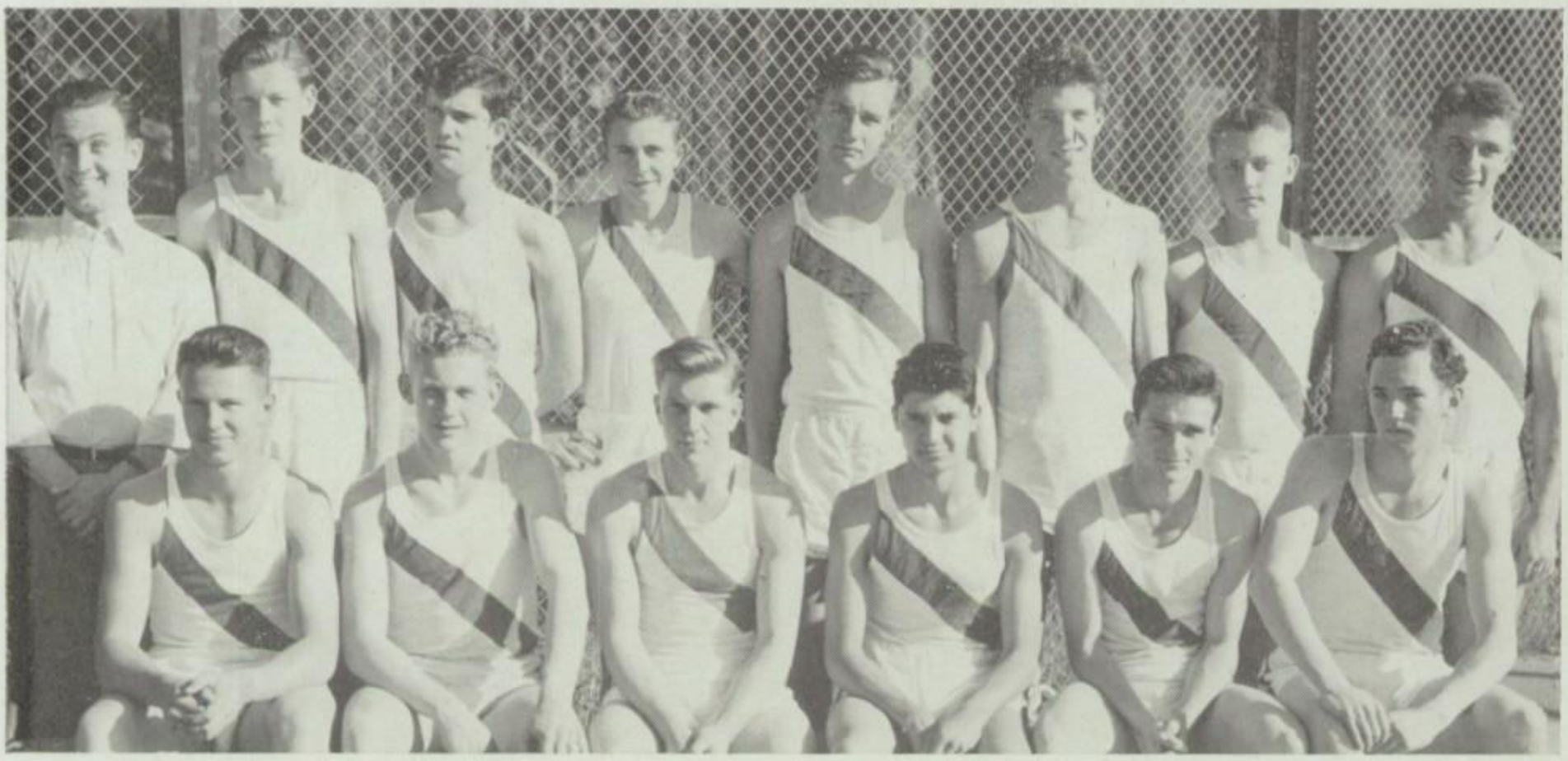
San Rafael	3	vs.	Analy 2
San Rafael	10	vs.	Petaluma 3
San Rafael	1	vs.	Santa Rosa 5
San Rafael	....	vs.	Vallejo ....
San Rafael	....	vs.	Napa ....
San Rafael	....	vs.	Tam ....

Bob Nelson
Captain

Mr. Miller
Coach

TRACK

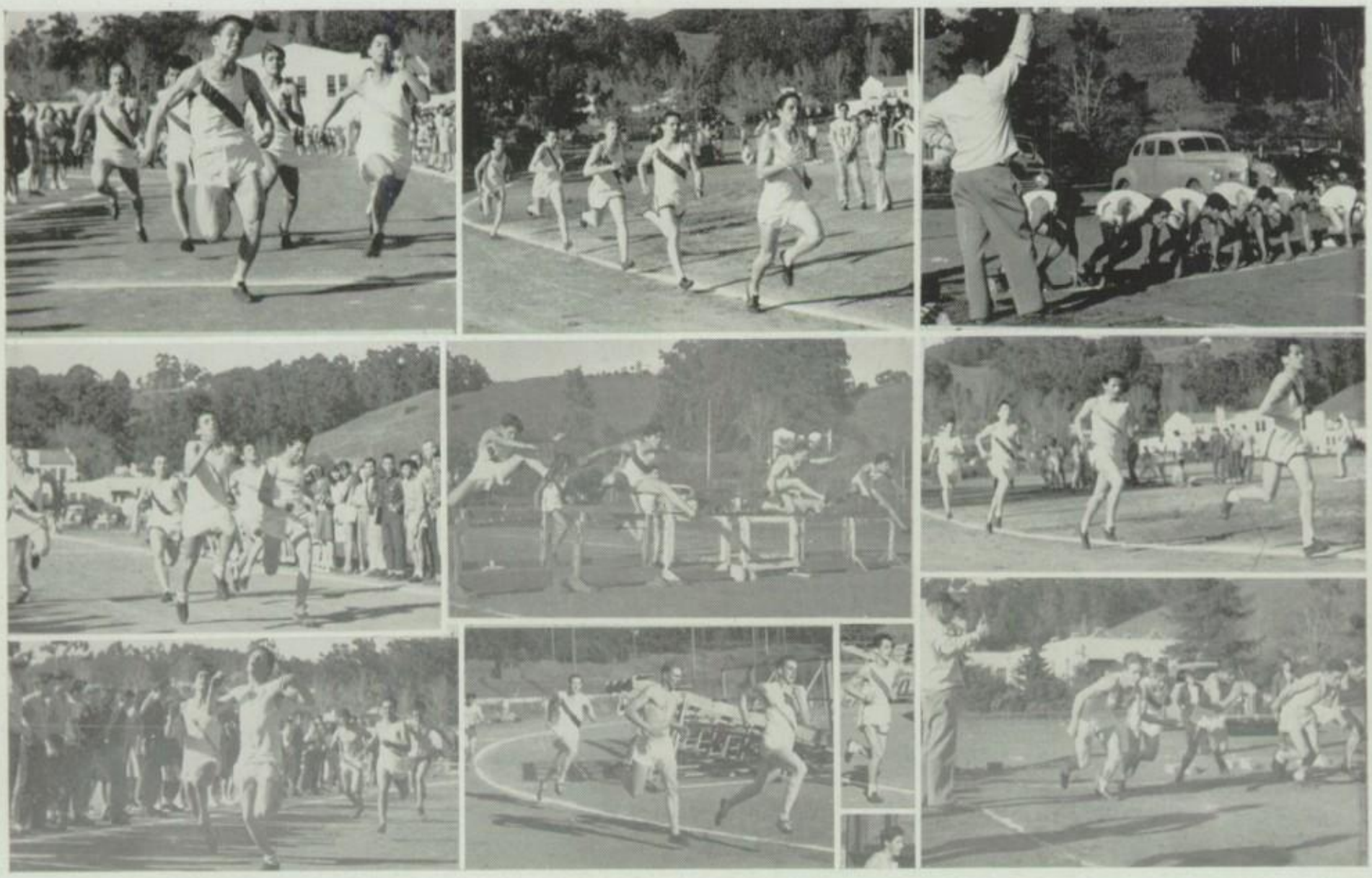
Left to right—Charles Grandi, Class A Capt.; Mr. Simontacchi, Coach; John Mendonsa, Class B Capt.; Mr. Gulick, Coach; Richard Nave, Class C. Capt.; Mr. Dresia, Coach; Frank Sabbatini, Class C. Capt.

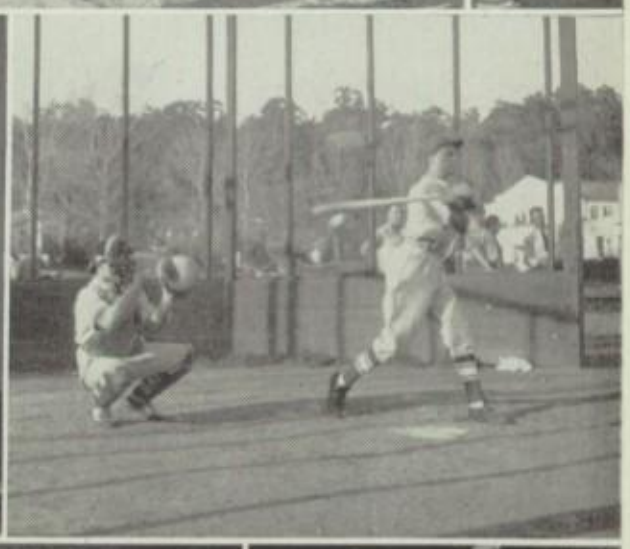


Second Row—Coach Simontacchi, Dave Stewart, Milton Eggers, George Casselberry, Clarence Hansen, Raphael Micheletti, Don Anderson, Jim Davis. *First Row*—Ed Gardner, Tom Jones, Bob Nelson, Charles Richesin, Liston Sabraw, Charles Grandi, Captain.

Second Row—Coach Simontacchi, Bill Mann, Bill Wright, Bill Miller, Sheldon Stern, Manager; Bill Riegelhuth, Ed Hansen, Bob Thorsen. *First Row*—Bruno Franchetti, Lon Casady, John Mendonsa, Captain; John Martens, Allen Hoffman, Jim Law.

Third Row—Coach Simontacchi, Paul Schiller, David Gottlieb, Mel Treanor, Sam Keeton, Remo Ronconi, Bill Reece, Manager.
Second Row—Orson Dee, Harry Thornton, Frank Sabbatini, Co-Captain; Richard Nave, Co-Captain; Don Azevedo, Fred Sabbatini.
First Row—Dick Reece, Bob Weber, Dean Kachel, Tui Wong. The C Track Team won the N.B.L. Championship.





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SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

OUR FRESHMAN YEAR

September, 1942, found about 150 "Freshies" shaking in their small shoes as they entered the unfamiliar halls of San Rafael High School for the first time. They felt themselves to be small and insignificant, not to mention "green" as they hunted for their classrooms in this "massive edifice." Although Miss Flint, Miss Mitchell, and Mr. Woelz had made their first appearance with this class, they gave no outward signs of sharing this freshman complex.

The idol of the female population of this lowest of classes was the Student Body President, Jim Todt.

Three days after the biggest Freshmen Reception in years on October 9, the "Frosh" pitched in with the other classes to help put the scrap drive "over the top." Two hundred and five tons of scrap metal were collected

Our varsity football team defeated Richmond High for the first time in twenty years. Who will forget that memorable event! On November 14 the Bulldogs beat the Indians of Tam., 3-0. The next night an exchange dance was held, one of the highlights of the social season.

The following happenings were witnessed:

Marilyn Money wearing the chevron which she had received four months after her birth. The Dean of Women, having taken a peep into the crystal ball and seeing Marilyn earning it, had awarded it to her then, being assured that she would win the chevron.

An explosion had rocked the building, believe it or not, but Mr. Paterson had taken over Mr. Estes' Chemistry Class on that particular day.

Physiology and the much discussed seventh period were added to the cirriculum.

Shirley Griffeth, first girl prexy in years, took over the job of student body president.

The class was not found to be lacking in intelligence, for in the first honor roll Franco Giudici and Diane Gardiner won thirteen points with Ron Potter close behind.

In the war bond drive that commemorated December 7 of the year before, the "Frosh" class led, buying $93 worth of bonds. We remember, too, Jess Field, a "Frosh" then, but now in the Merchant Marines, leading the class in the singing of "Up and Down." And who doesn't remember the blackout drills and the windows of the center hall painted black?

OUR SOPHOMORE YEAR—1943-1944

The wise and the knowing have said that the sophomore year in high school and college is the one least remembered in after years. This appears to be our plight as our "book of memories" has little to record during the nine months of our sophomore year.

We do remember, however, our fall Student Body President, John Rossi, his red hair and his antics.

This was the year before the war ended, with air raid drills and the classes trouping out to hide in scheduled "stations." Fortunately for us, there were no enemy planes overhead. In review now, we dare say that these make-believe attacks which scattered us to the cover of the hills appeared as a frolic to most of us then.

There were many "lasts" in this year. The Junior Chamber of Commerce, due to lack of members, folded up.

The advisorship of the Red 'N' White passed from Mr. Tardy to Mr. MacChesney.

And lastly, the celebration of Hick's Day was held for the last time.

In November we beat Tam and we carried off the honors against Tam. in a bond and stamp drive soon afterwards.

Early in the fall the Scholarship Society started selling pop and ice cream at the football games to earn money toward the scholarships they were to sponsor in the spring. Many members of the then sophomore class were members of this society and they pitched in with vim to raise the sum required.

The last mid-term graduation class donned caps and gown in March to receive their diplomas. In celebration, these departing friends were given the "Sweetheart Prom."

The annual Barn Dance, sponsored by the Ra Ravas, was given in April amid much music, hay and dancing.

The month of May was full of social activity, including the Mothers' Tea, the last social event of the season. The Les Couturieres gave a Cotton Ball, particularly remembered for the amount of cotton visible on the dance floor.

Around May 15 the dramatics class's play was given. The play, "Nine Girls," was composed completely of girls. Among the stars were Jo Ann Eliason and Barbara Greene. Sophomores in the play included Virginia Frank, Patricia Boules and Bebe Milani.

As the June Class of '44 walked out of the school for the last time, the class of '46 climbed one step higher on the ladder toward their goal—graduation.

OUR JUNIOR YEAR—1944-1945

Gaining confidence as upper classmen, we, returning as juniors, welcomed the new Student Body President, Don Collins.

This year our Varsity Bulldogs formed a well-knit team which fought its way through five straight winnings and on November 15 won the N.B.L. Championship by defeating Vallejo, 13-6. It was the first time since 1937 that the coveted gold footballs had returned to San Rafael High.

Tam proved to be a good loser and sponsored the exchange dance. The Les Couturieres and Ra Ravas gave the football dinner a few weeks later.

Mr. MacChesney became advisor of the Red 'N' White and Pat Watfield, editor, with Sheila McKinney, co-editor. The paper flourished and turned out some "pretty good stuff."

The Rally Committee was again reformed and the following juniors were proud to be among the enrollees: Marilyn Money, Ramona Vincilione, Ola Hayden, Hank Wadlow, Dick Caletti, Patricia Boules and Diane Gardiner. Mr. Woelz acted as advisor and Hank Wadlow, in the capacity of head yell leader, was chairman of the group until a constitution was drawn up.

To end their crowded first semester, the Les Couturieres and Ra Ravas combined to hold their annual formal in the gynasium on February 10. They called it "A Journey to a Star," and from all the reports of those juniors who attended this formal, it lived up to its name.

SENIOR CLASS HISTORY - Continued

Feeling that during wartime there was greater need for supervised entertainment, some of the students undertook the job of opening the Teen-Age Canteen. During the spring semester the Canteen became an accomplished fact, and the students flocked to it in droves.

In February the Sportsmen showed that they could use their brawn for other than just athletic events. Outside of school time they participated in the Paper Drive. They made a record showing.

The Male Chorus made its initial appearance on March 23 in an all music assembly. Forty-eight boys had signed up for this seventh period activity.

Feeling that the education of yell leaders in the school was too hit-or-miss, a yell leader school was started simultaneously with the organization of the Rally Committee.

Although Jim Gilmartin was only on the Bullpup basketball team in those days, he even then distinguished himself as a high point man. Some boy that Jimmy!

In March the Ra Ravas changed the name of its annual celebration from "Hick's Day" to "Fair Day" which change permitted more varied activities.

Marian Kell, entering the Marin County Easter Seal Contest, surprised even herself by winning first prize.

One of the greatest shocks to the student body, and certainly the greatest tragedy in our junior year, was the untimely death of Major Cuffe. He seemed a part of the school, and his going was felt with immeasurable sorrow. School was adjourned the morning of the funeral so that all could attend. We all knew that no one could replace the "Major" in our affections.

The first meeting of the United Nations was held in San Francisco during May. Some of the students were asked to usher. Also, the members of the Red 'N' White staff went to a Press Club dinner and interviewed many of the notables.

In June, in connection with a bond drive, Vernon Hughes conducted a bond-drive auction, and in one afternoon he collected $2631.00 of bonds and stamps from the assembled student body.

As graduation day came, the juniors looked forward to the coming year when they would be the "high and mighty seniors" of the school. The coveted year was at last arriving.

THE SENIOR YEAR—1945-1946

Perhaps the happiest among the students who returned to school in September of 1945 were the new members of the senior class.

Franco Giudici took over the presidency of the student body with able officers assisting him.

Although class organization had been discussed the year before, classes were not organized until this year. Each class elected its officers early in the semester, and the seniors chose Dick Caletti to lead them.

A number of league games were won by our varsity football team early in the season, and though they lost some, they ended the season by defeating Tam. for the sixth successive year.

Mrs. Lorenzen, Mrs. Giampaoli, Mr. Dresia and Mr. Gulick joined the teaching force in our senior year.

At the beginning of this year, as in the previous year, we all took the Iowa State Tests for measuring mental aptitude. As the third day of the test ended, we felt that our heads were beginning to bulge, and many of us were heartbroken over the exposure of our ignorance in certain fields of learning.

The two major girls' clubs sponsored the annual football dinner and the so-called "Snow Ball" formal which was given at the Ross Community House in February. This was one of the two formals of the year which gave everyone a chance to get really "prettied up."

With the spring election of new student body officers, Dick Caletti and Franco Giudici changed places, Dick becoming prexy of the student body and Franco, of the senior class.

There was some real competition in the clothing drive conducted in the spring semester. The "Frosh" challenged the three other classes. They made good their wager, defeating all the other classes.

In the spring of this year, the Dean of Girls, Mrs. Murray, feeling that perhaps the girls were tired of uniforms and would like to vote them out, gave a two-weeks' trial "civilian day" period. At the end of that period the girls, by a vote of 181 to 100, expressed their desire to retain the uniform. Likewise, colored sweaters was put up for a vote by the girls two weeks later.

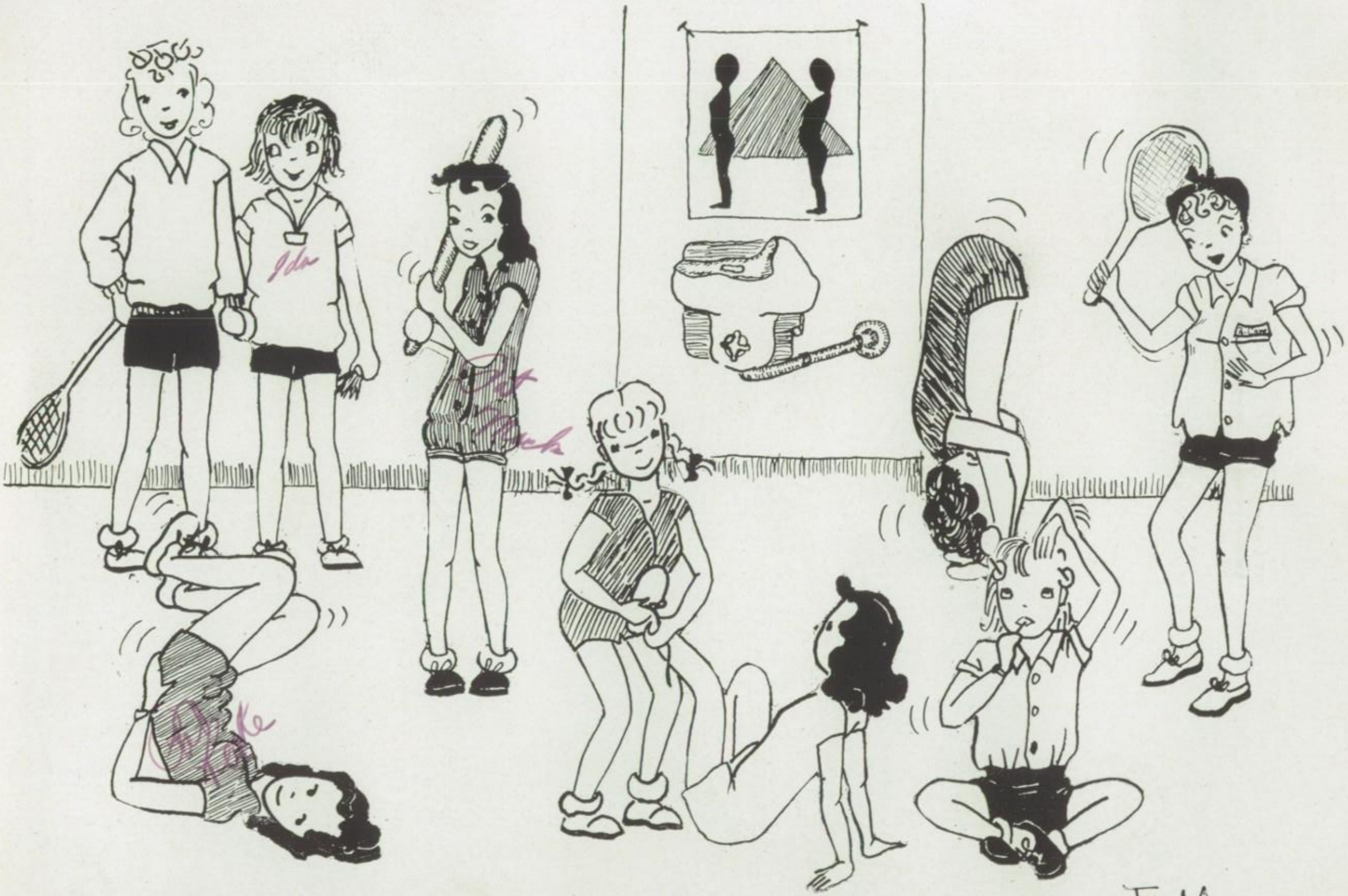
The last social function for the seniors included the Mothers' Tea, given by the Girls' League; the Jamboree, given by the Rally Committee, and the Senior Ball. The student director, Warren Dohemann and the club advisors, Mrs. Giampaoli and Mr. Woelz, had charge of the Jamboree.

On June 14 the class of '46, donning caps and gowns, received the coveted diploma, passing through the portals of San Rafael High School for the last time. In leaving they pass on the traditions and privileges accorded to seniors to the members of this year's junior class and ask them to wear that "halo" with the same reverence and good will as the past and present members of the senior class have done.

P.S.—May 14, 1946

We graduating seniors, though leaving, rejoice that the school bonds passed, that those who follow us may, in the near future, enjoy the use of a modernized building with improved acoustics, adequate lighting, a heated, covered swimming pool with public dressing rooms, a modern cafeteria, to be used partly as additional classrooms, an improved athletic field and an improved paved highway around the school grounds.

GIRLS' GYM CLASS



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We have had a lot of fun together since we started to school in "44". If it weren't for you I probably would have run out of paper & pencils many times. & I sure hope we have fun together in our classes next year, Till then-

Aloha Nui,
1480 Lee Jensen

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Dear Pat,
where to
first write you
three years ago
in the eighth grade
I thought you were
pretty nice and so the
years go by, I've come
to know you better and
to like you better and
I think you're really a swell kid.
Here's lots of luck to you in the
coming years at S.P.H.S and thru
out your life.
your friend.
Vivian Clapp.

Dear Pat,
It's been a pleasu
Knowing you for the
last four years and beir
able to call on you
whenever I needed
any equipment!!
Thanks for everythin
and all the luck in
the world. See you
next year.
Love,
Bobbie Ziegle

Dear Pat,
Well its been
a long time since I
~~I~~ first met you when
you were in the eight
grade, but now I know
much better this year
and believe it has been
very nice. Good luck
to you Pat where ever
go. You are a swell
person. Sincerely
Betty Faithclaw
'49

Dear Pat,
I don't know you
very well but many
years of happiness.
Sue Smith.

Best of Luck
and success.
Rich Nave

Dear Patty —
Its been a lot of fun
knowing you this year
and last year too. You
really are a darling little
little girl - Its really wonderful
to know someone who is quite
a want to wish you lots and
lots of luck, happiness and
success in everything you do.
lots of love & to a sweet
little girl —
Dan Watson

Dear Pat,
although I don't know
you very well but I
can wish you lots of
luck in your future
years in high school
Becky McCormack

lots of luck to
a sweet little
sophomore from
a sour old senior—
Mary Lou Casillas

Dear Pat,
Best of Luck to one
of the sweetest and quietest
little girls I know. Hope you
always have the best of happiness.
Love Marilyn Carter

Dear Patty,
Best wishes
love and
to a sweet and
quiet little
girl.
Love,
Kathleen
Vanden